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T HIS WAY OUT

eral Gomez Had a Narrow Escape From Capture.

S A FIGHTING INSURGENT

[illegible] by Spaniards With Fixed [illegible]onets He Empties His Trusty Re[illegible] and Then Cuts Down Five Dons [illegible] His Broad-Bladed Machete, Mak[illegible] His Escape Without a Scratch.

[illegible] — General Gomez [illegible] escape from being cap[illegible] after he executed his [illegible] the province of Pinar [illegible] for the borders of the [illegible] Havana. He was in the [illegible] Las Mangas, southwest [illegible] the head of a small es[illegible] cavalrymen, when he [illegible] upon a Spanish bivouac [illegible] insurgent commander-in [illegible] from his surprise he [illegible] surrounded by Spanish in[illegible] bayonets, who pressed [illegible] the general and his com[illegible] effect their capture [illegible] equal to the emergency [illegible] horse forward he emp[illegible] right and left and [illegible] his machete, he literally [illegible] way through and out of the ring [illegible] soldiers killing five men [illegible] and getting away [illegible] without a scratch.

[illegible] steamer Olivette, as she [illegible] Rodriguez Molina and [illegible] son were arrested on [illegible] of conspiracy against the Span[illegible] Compromising docu[illegible] the three with revo[illegible] were found on them. [illegible] imprisoned and are not [illegible] to communicate with their [illegible]

[illegible] passenger train from Cardenas [illegible] at Italo the terminus of [illegible] was fired upon by the in[illegible] The engineer and fireman [illegible] wounded by rifle bullets. The en[illegible] destroyed and the train cap[illegible]

OUS OUTLOOK IN KENTUCKY

[illegible] Charged With Attempting to Prevent a Joint Session.

[illegible] Ky., Jan. 16.—Senator [illegible] called up the resolution [illegible] Jan 21 for a joint session of the [illegible] to elect a state librarian. It [illegible] opposed by the Democrats [illegible] leadership of Senator Goebel, [illegible] moved to postpone the considera[illegible] of the subject till Feb. 2, which [illegible] accepted. This is regarded as an [illegible] that the Democrats will not [illegible] a joint session to be held at this [illegible] of the legislature if they can [illegible]

Charged Him With Theft.

[illegible] Ind. Jan 16.—Will Davis [illegible] Walsworth, adminis[illegible] of the late Charles Bassett, the [illegible] is charged and $3,000 [illegible] asked. At the auction sale of [illegible] jewelry Walsworth is [illegible] accused Davis of taking a [illegible] of bottons from a tray.

Young Girl Assaulted.

[illegible] Ind., Jan. 16.—Ida Da[illegible] was assaulted by an unknown [illegible] near Walton who choked her un[illegible] was insensible. When she awoke [illegible] seven miles from home and [illegible] on the highway. She [illegible] her assailant and would not [illegible] to identify him.

Bank Teller a Defaulter.

[illegible] Francisco, Jan. 16.—President [illegible] of the Grangers' bank, which [illegible] its doors on Jan 1, says William [illegible] teller of the bank, is a de[illegible] amount of $11,800. The [illegible] is protected to the extent of $10,-[illegible] a guarantee company.

Warning to Americans.

[illegible] Jan 16.—About 100 promi[illegible] of this city, with Lieu[illegible] Governor Kirkpatrick as honor[illegible] met and formed a branch [illegible] League of Canada.

Tobacco Manufacturers Organize.

[illegible] Va. Jan. 16.—The tobacco [illegible] of the south held a con[illegible] organized the South[illegible] Manufacturers' association [illegible]

Indian Commissioners Adjourn.

[illegible] Jan 16.—The board of [illegible] which has been [illegible] session here, com[illegible] last night and ad[illegible]

[illegible] Is Assured.

[illegible] Jan. 16. — Secretary [illegible] of the dissolution [illegible] said he could be [illegible] that the success of [illegible]

The Doctor Indicted.

[illegible] N. H., Jan. 16.—Three [illegible] found in the supreme [illegible] Moore for alleged [illegible] of the Union Pub[illegible]

[illegible] a Protest.

[illegible] 16.—There will [illegible] held here Satur[illegible] against the passage by [illegible] for the Pacific [illegible]

[illegible] Weather.

[illegible] change in [illegible] in extreme [illegible] to north [illegible] portion.

SEVENTY-SECOND ASSEMBLY.

In the House.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan 16.—In the house Representative Davis of Franklin county introduced a bill the purpose of which is to make the bribery laws effective. At present both the briber giver and the bribe taker are liable to prosecution and they naturally protect one another. Mr. Davis' amendment provides that whoever gives information or evidence in cases of bribery shall be exempt from prosecution. It increases the penalty from five years to life imprisonment.

Bills were introduced as follows: Mr Palmer, amending the federal law of Cleveland so as to place the sanitary force under civil service rules.

Mr. Gray (two bills), providing that any person who repairs a fence along a railroad shall file an itemized bill for the same with the county recorder, and if the same is not paid or litigated within one year it becomes a lien on the corporation.

Mr Kimmel, reintroducing the Mosgrove medical bill.

Mr. Workman (two bills), giving justices final jurisdiction in cases where amount involved is less than $20.

Mr. Norris, changing the time for township treasurers to settle with the county auditor to last Monday of March instead of September, and in this way provide against defalcations.

Mr Deaton Making it a misdemeanor to solicit or accept a bribe at any primary or election.

Mr McBride, providing for safety devises at crossings of steam and street railways to be approved by railroad commissioner.

Mr Griffith, making it the duty of the game warden to prosecute cases of trespass with hunting.

In the Senate.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan 16.—The senate standing committees were announced by the appointing committee, Mr Shattuc, chairman, as follows:

Judiciary—Clark, Herron, Garfield, Howard, Sullivan, Lanning, Avery, Hysell, and Johnson.

Finance—Whittlesey, Hogg, Hutsinpiller, Hankey, Pluemer, Williams, Falloon, Shryock and Cromley.

Municipal corporations No 1 (Cincinnati and Cleveland)—Porter, Avery, Pluemer, Shattuc, Brown, Shryock and Valentine.

Municipal corporations No 2—Sparks, Sullivan, Rodgers, Hankey, Falloon, Crandall and Hysell.

Medical societies and colleges—Hamilton Crandall, Harbaugh, Morgan, Sparks, and Harper.

Pensions—Hogg, Pluemer, Whittlesey, Williams and Carley.

Taxation—Laning, Garfield, Hankey, Welday, Pluemer, Shryock and Hysell.

Enrollment—Garfield, Brown, Dana, Howard and Johnson.

Rules—Hutsinpiller, Herron, Garfield, Avery and Hysell.

County affairs—Rogers, Crandall, Hamilton, Welday, Morgan, Harbaugh and Tissandier.

Common schools and school lands—Pluemer, Ely, Hamilton, Porter, Welday, Howard and Harper.

Railroads and telegraphs—Shattuc, Dana, Ely, Clark, Williams, Morgan, Hankey, Rodgers and Tissandier.

Roads, highways and turnpikes—Dana, Hogg, Morgan, Hutsinpiller, Vogt, Cromley and Conley.

Corporations other than municipal—Sullivan, Ely, Fleishmann, Howard, Rodgers, Vogt and Harper.

Agriculture—Welday, Whittlesey, Porter, Crandall, Hamilton, Cromley and Conley.

Mines and mining—Crandall, Morgan, Welday, Rodgers, Brown, Sullivan and Hysell.

Sanitary laws and regulations—Avery, chairman, Herron, Hogg, Jones, Howard, Johnson and Conley.

Fees and salaries—Brown, Dana, Jones, Porter, Welday, Valentine and Conley.

Federal relations—Fleischmann, Whittlesey, Clark, Hutsinpiller, Jones, Johnson and Conley.

Military affairs—Harbaugh, Sparks, Ely, Avery, Shryock, Shattuc and Cromley.

Fish culture and game—Harbaugh, Laning, Shattuc, Porter and Johnson.

Privileges and elections—Garfield, Sullivan, Laning, Herron, Vogt, Avery and Johnson.

Public works and public lands—Ely, Whittlesey, Brown, Dana, Pluemer, Vogt and Valentine.

Benevolent institutions — Hankey, Avery, Fleischmann, Harbaugh, Rodgers, Welday and Harper.

Penitentiary—Jones, Hogg, Sullivan, Dana, Shattuc, Morgan and Tissandier.

Insurance—Williams, Brown, Falloon, Ely, Shattuc, Sullivan, Hysell.

Industrial school for boys and girls—Falloon, Whittlesey, Rodgers, Porter, Hamilton, Jones and Cromley.

Ditches and drainage—Vogt, Harbaugh, Jones, Valentine and Conley.

Soldiers' and sailors' orphans' home and school for imbecile youth—Howard, Brown, Hutsinpiller, Falloon, Shryock, Hankey and Tissandier.

Sailors' and soldiers' home—Porter, Laning, Shattuc, Shryock, Howard, Harbaugh and Valentine.

Universities and colleges—Herron, Falloon, Avery, Ely, Garfield, Sparks and Hysell.

Manufactories and commerce—Ely, Sparks, Williams, Rodgers and Tissandier.

Labor—Morgan, Brown, Sparks, Clark, Vogt, Crandall and Valentine.

Public printing—Shryock, Laning, Hamilton, Porter and Harper.

State buildings—Rodgers, Fleischmann, Vogt, Williams and Tissandier.

Public expenditures—Vogt, Sparks, Hogg, Herron and Harper.

Geological survey—Falloon, Hamilton, Welday, Conley and Cromley.

Library—Avery, Shryock, Shattuc.

Claims—Dana, Clark, Hutsinpiller, Howard, Herron, Hogg and Harper.

An effort was made to enlarge the committees and some bad feeling was shown over alleged slights in the formation of committees.

Mr Avery introduced a resolution to have a committee appointed to go after the fees and salaries of Cleveland court officers with an investigation. On motion to discuss it went over.

Senator Garfield introduced a bill to prevent corrupt practices in elections and making it a crime for a legislator to buy votes to secure re-election.

A portrait of Lieutenant Governor Ford who was president of the senate in 1864, was presented to the senate by Representative McBride and accorded a place on the walls of the chamber.

Voted New Credits.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 16.—Congress has voted fresh credits to complete the program of armament.

Turf Winners.

At New Orleans—Van Brant, Tate, Eder Farrell, Florence Domingo.

CRUMBS OF COMFORT.

Here You Have Them Ready For Immediate Consumption.

A more cheerful tone pervades the iron trade.

The Old Judge Distilling company at Frankfort, Ky., has assigned.

A thousand families in St. John N. F., are without food, fuel and clothing.

Iowa legislature in joint session elected W. B. Allison to the United States senate.

Chile and Argentine are [illegible] on the verge of war over a boundary dispute.

The American [illegible] Baggage Agents is in session at San Antonio, Tex.

"The Niagara Power [illegible] has taken option on [illegible] acres of land in western New York.

Secretary of agriculture says the reason he did not distribute [illegible] to farmers was because he did not think they wanted them.

ENGLAND BALKED.

She Can Not Purchase Territory From Venezuela.

THE CONSTITUTION FORBIDS IT

Former Negotiations Between the Two Governments Brought to Light, Showing That Venezuela Has Always Been Ready to Arbitrate, but England Insolently Refused to Agree to This Course.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—New and important information on the Venezuelan question, having direct bearing upon the possibilities of a settlement of the boundary dispute by the two interested governments without the assistance of any other powers, and seemingly discounting the probability of such an ending to the controversy, was pointed out by Mr Heatwole of Minnesota, a member of the house committee on foreign affairs.

The British government, according to the most recent and apparently inspired utterances of its semi-official organs, has turned to the policy of bringing about a resumption of diplomatic relations with the South American republic and then proceeding to direct negotiations with the republic to determine the boundary, as the most feasible path by which it can emerge from its present position without a practical retraction of Lord Salisbury's refusal to arbitrate.

In the light of precedents established by her most distinguished authorities it is difficult to see how the government of Venezuela can consent to enter upon any agreement to compromise her territorial claims with Great Britain, or, as it has been suggested by recent London dispatches, to part with any portion of her claims for a financial consideration, for no less an authority than Guzman Blanco is on record as declaring such a course to be entirely unconstitutional.

SOME MODIFICATIONS MADE.

Purchasers of Bonds Given a Still Better Chance.

WASHINGTON, Jan 16.—Secretary Carlisle has made public the following circular modifying the conditions for payment on the advertised bond issue:

"Treasury circular No. 3, 1896, dated Jan 6, 1896, inviting proposals for the purchase of $100,000,000 of United States 4 per cent bonds, is hereby so modified that after the payment of the first installment of 20 per cent with accrued interest, as required in said circular, the remainder of the amounts bid may be paid in installments of 10 per cent each and accrued interest at the end of each 15 days thereafter, but all accepted bidders may pay the whole amount of their bids at the time of the first installment, and all accepted bidders who have paid all installments previously maturing may pay the whole amount of their bids at any time not later than the maturity of the last installment.

"Accepted bidders who pay the whole amount at the time of the first installment, or at any date thereafter, as above provided will be entitled to receive, at the date of the payment, the whole amount of bonds awarded to them, and accepted bidders who pay by installment will be entitled to receive at the dates of such payments the amount of bonds paid for."

George Is In Trouble Again.

MONTREAL, Jan 16.—George Harris, alias George Lyle, a Detroit crook, and a man named Roach, a local thief, have been arrested here for robbing Bondreau's furniture store. Lyle served five years in Michigan state prison, and with a man named Howard robbed Dr Elbert in Indianapolis two years ago. On that occasion Howard was shot dead.

Heroic Rescue by a Tramp.

DECATUR, Ind., Jan 16.—While a number of young ladies were skating on the ice covering St. Mary's river, Miss Elva Rex broke through and would have been drowned but for the timely aid of a tramp who boldly plunged into the water, and after a lively struggle succeeded in rescuing the young lady.

W. L. Moody Dead.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 16.—W. L. Moody, brother of Dwight L. Moody the evangelist, died at All Saints' hospital in this city, from injuries received in a railroad accident here recently. He was a prominent stockman and lived at Gardner, Kan.

Behind Closed Doors.

WAYNE, Neb. Jan 16.—The Bank of Wayne, S. C. Heavy cashier, failed to open its doors yesterday. The failure is caused by complication with the Bank of Stratton which failed last Monday. Assets are said to be $[illegible]; liabilities, $1,200.

Banking Institution Suspends.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan 16.—The City bank, one of the smaller state banking institutions of this city, has suspended payment pending an examination by the state bank examiner. The institution has been known to be weak for some time.

Living Despite His Weight.

LIGONIER, Ind., Jan. 16.—A wee bit of humanity has been born to the wife of Charles Kirkendorfer, living near Goshen. Master Kirkendorfer weighed but 24 ounces at birth but despite the untoward circumstances bids fair to live.

Pinned to the Ground.

VALPARAISO, Ind., Jan. 16.—Samuel Hensman, a farmer, while felling a tree was caught and fatally injured. He was pinned to the ground for several hours before the tree could be cut away.

Time Well Spent.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Yesterday's session of the American Purity alliance was taken up with the reading of papers on subjects calculated to have a good influence in moral and social circles.

OLD DEPOSITIONS RESURRECTED.

Southern Pacific Officials Placed In a Peculiar Position.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 16.—The California railroad commission won a point in the injunction suit now pending in the United States circuit court, by which the Southern Pacific company seeks to restrain the commission from reducing the freight rates of the railroad.

Judge McKenna ruled that depositions and evidence taken before the congressional commission in 1886-87, when various officials of the Southern Pacific testified to the road's cost and maintenance, may be admitted in the present proceedings.

KRAHN WAS ACQUITTED

Mrs. Gordon's Story Was Evidently Not Believed In Court.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Herbert Krahn, alias Charles Roussell, who was extradited from New York last year on the charge of having stolen Canadian Pacific bonds and other securities from Mrs. Winifred Gordon of this city was acquitted at the Old Bailey.

Krahn's version of the story was that Mrs. Gordon, who is about 53 years old had won his love and that he had entrusted her with $20,000. Later he wanted the money returned to him and, failing to get it, he gave her a sound thrashing and took it by force.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Old Officers of an Indiana Railroad Re-elected.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 16.—The annual meeting of the Terre Haute and Indianapolis railroad was held here. The entire board was re-elected, except Mr. J. G. Williams, who declined.

The board elected as president James McCrea; vice president and general manager, J. J. Turner; secretary, E. O. Farrington; treasurer, R. B. Thompson; auditor, W. S. Roney. President McCrea reappointed all the old officers. The new general manager's headquarters will be here.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

In the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan 16.—Mr Sherman secured the floor shortly after the session of the senate began and presented an adverse report on the bill prohibiting citizens of the United States from accepting any titles, decorations, etc., from foreign nations.

Mr Sherman reported favorably a joint resolution appropriating $75,000 for expenses of the commission engaged in fixing the boundary between Alaska and British America along the line of the 141st meridian in west longitude. The resolution was passed.

Mr Mills (Dem., Tex.) then took the floor in support of his resolution introduced yesterday concerning silver, bonds, etc. He spoke extemporaneously and was given close attention.

Mr Peffer then took the floor on the bond bill.

Mr Pugh (Dem., Ala.) offered a resolution for the payment of government obligations in either coin, gold or silver.

The senate finance committee is a tie on the tariff bill, with Senator Jones absent.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, Jan 16.—On motion of Mr. Bowers (Rep., Cal.) a bill was passed authorizing the secretary of the interior, under regulations to be fixed by him, to permit the use of right of way upon public lands for the purpose of generating electric power.

A free home bill, making actual residence on railroad land grants unnecessary where the lands have been fenced and improved, was passed.

Wrede Is the Secretary.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—A report that Prince Raoul Wrede, who arrived recently from Europe, would be the successor of Mr. Von Hengelmuller as minister of Austria-Hungary to the United States, is erroneous. Prince Wrede has been appointed first secretary of the Austro-Hungarian legation in Washington, in place of Mr. Alexander von Mezey, who has been transferred to Rome.

Fatally Crushed.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Jan. 16. — Harry Davidson, 24, was frightfully mangled in a runaway accident near this city. A farm wagon loaded with heading timber passed over his body, tearing off a part of his right hand, crushing his right side and tearing off the flesh and badly bruising his back. He will die.

Italians In Deep Water.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The Novosti special from Milan quotes the military sheet Esercito as saying that the capitulation of Makkale by the Italians is inevitable owing to the lack of water. Further also, The Italia Militare says that the garrison can not even save itself by flight.

Charged With Administering Poison.

KANSAS CITY, Jan 16. Charles A. Millman, ex-state representative and a well known local politician, was placed on trial here on a charge of administering poison in whisky to Election Judge Fulman D. Fenton in the Forty-eighth precinct voting place at the fall election of 1894.

Susan Is Incensed.

ROCHESTER, Jan 16.—Miss Susan B. Anthony is much incensed at the criticisms of President Eliot of Harvard university and Bishop Doane of Albany on her call for the twenty-eighth annual convention of the American Woman's Suffrage association.

Pushing Allison Forward.

WASHINGTON, Jan 16.—The Iowa congressional delegation met and took action formally avowing the candidacy of Senator Allison for the Republican presidential nomination.

It Seemed Very Improbable.

LONDON, Jan 16.—The statements made in the Italian newspapers that Great Britain has ceded Zeilah, on the strait of Bab-el-Mandeb, to Italy, is officially denied.

Consul Jones Dead.

RACINE, Wis., Jan 15.—A cablegram from Prague announces the death at that place of Carl Jones, United States consul.

ACT COMPLETED.

J. B. Foraker Reaches the Goal He Has Long Sought.

SPEECH OF HIS LIFE DELIVERED.

He Favors Bimetallism With Parity Maintained, Protection to American Industries, Reciprocity, Building and Exclusive Control of the Nicaragua Canal by America and Strengthening of the Navy.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 16.—The two houses of the general assembly met in joint session at noon yesterday and confirmed their respective acts of the day before in electing Hon. Joseph Benson Foraker to succeed Hon. Calvin S. Brice in the United States senate term to begin March 4, 1897. The senator-elect was waiting in the governor's office, and after the formal ratification he was escorted to the hall of the house, where he was received with enthusiastic applause. He spoke as follows:

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:

I come in answer to your call. I come to accept the high honor you have seen fit to confer. I come to thank you for that act and the compliment and consideration involved. I have come to give you my assurance that I shall do all that is in my power to discharge the duties of the position with fidelity and to your satisfaction. It is a great honor to be chosen under any kind of circumstances to represent such a state as is Ohio in the senate of the United States. I trust I may say, without impropriety, that the honor, in my judgment, is enhanced by the circumstances attending this selection.

To be first unanimously endorsed by the representatives of my party in state convention assembled and then to have that indorsement approved by the majority of 100,000 at the polls, and now to have that indorsement and approval ratified and confirmed by the unanimous vote of the largest representation in the general assembly of any political party ever known in the history of our state, is to make this as nearly the direct work of the people as is possible under our constitution. [Applause.]

That feature of this selection adds to the gratification I experience on this occasion. It does more and it gives me great pleasure to make reference to it. It impresses me that I

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shall forever remember that it is my duty, as it shall always be my pleasure, to re all that I have been chosen, not by a fractional part, but by the whole united people. [Applause.] In consequence of that fact, it shall be my pleasure to ever remember that the Republicans of Ohio shall one and all receive at my hands equal consideration. [Applause.]

There is another feature of this occasion pleasing to me and I want to speak about that, and that is the conduct of my Democratic fellow citizens of the state of Ohio and of this general assembly. It is true you did not support me, you did not vote for me. I can not thank you for that, but I can thank you, and I do, most sincerely, for the fact that your position has been purely and only partisan. From the inception of this contest down to this closing scene I have enjoyed at your hands only the most distinguished courtesy, and I have been made by you the recipient of unvarying marks of personal regard and personal esteem. [Applause.]

Be assured I appreciate it, be assured I thank you for it. Be assured it adds to the pleasure it will always be for me, whenever I can consistently do so, to serve you to the utmost of my ability. [Applause.] It makes it easy for me in going to the senate to remember that I am there to represent the state, the whole state, and the people in the state. [Applause.] I go there, however, as a Republican. [Applause.] I belong to that party. [Applause.] I believe in its past. I believe in its present; I believe in its future. I believe it is the most acceptable agency that we have to command in the administration of our national affairs. I believe it is better calculated than any other political organization to contribute to the strength, power, dignity, happiness and glory of the American people. [Applause.]

Entertaining that belief, I shall at all times be found acting with that party. I shall uphold its doctrines, with those who hold to it for [illegible] purposes. To be more specific, I believe in the protection of American industries. [Applause.] I believe that the revenues of this government should be so [illegible] to meet all of its necessary expenditures which patriotically administered. [Applause.] I believe in the restoration and further development of the policy of reciprocity. [Applause.] So happily inaugurated under the Harrison administration, and so mistakenly destroyed by this [illegible]

I believe also that the time has come in the development of the American people [illegible] of our [illegible] commercial relations [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [Applause.] [illegible] the Nicaragua canal [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [Applause.] [illegible] Britain [illegible] [illegible] payment of such [illegible] [Applause.]

[illegible] world [illegible] silver [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] pleasure that [illegible] with [illegible] the grave responsibilities that are involved.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

WOOLGROWERS RESOLVE

They Want a Specific Duty Placed on Clothing and Carpet Wools.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan 16.—At the meeting of the Woolgrowers' association held in this city the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, Under the operation of the free wool law [illegible] of August 1894, the sheep of the United States have declined in numbers from 47,273,553 in January, 1893 until they are now less [illegible]

RESOLVED, That it is the sense of the Ohio Woolgrowers' association that in order to restore the flocks of the United States, supply the demands of our consumption and for the proper protection of this industry we ask and demand of the Fifty-fourth congress that the following duties shall be placed upon wool. A [illegible] duty of 12 cents on the two grades of clothing wool known in the McKinley bill as No. 1 and 2 and an increase of [illegible] per cent [illegible] until the fine grade known as No. 2 [illegible] On the grade of carpet wool known as Nos. 1 and 2 in the [illegible] we ask and demand a duty [illegible] cents per pound.

GORED BY A BUCK.

A Pickaway County Farmer Attacked and Fatally Injured.

CIRCLEVILLE, O., Jan. 16.—Dick Johnson, a colored farm hand, was gored by an infuriated buck deer in Nelson Hitler's park and probably mortally hurt. He went into the park to get some apples and was in the act of picking up one when he was unexpectedly attacked from behind. He was knocked down trampled by the infuriated animal and gored in the arm and again in the abdomen. The latter wound is very serious, as the buck's horn pierced the peritoneum and there is great danger of peritonitis.

New Incorporations.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 16.—The Library Building Fund association, Sandusky; the Cleveland Poultry Exhibition company, Cleveland, capital stock $1,000; the Big Sandy Mining company, Toledo, increase of capital stock from $21,000 to $50,000; the Kreutzer Buggy company, Wapakoneta, capital stock $10,000.

This Ought to Hold Him.

CANTON, O., Jan 16.—The grand jury has returned a true bill against John W. Myers containing 148 counts—71 for embezzlement and 74 for larceny. The indictments grow out of a shortage in the late Treasurer Mandrus' accounts of over $10,000. Myers was Mandrus' deputy.

Nellie Is Plucky.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 16.—Miss Nellie G. Robinson of Cincinnati who was [illegible] [illegible] of the Ohio supreme court decision [illegible] commissioner will appeal to the United States supreme court.

What's the Matter With Boyle?

CANTON, O., Jan. 16.—It is announced that Captain Heistand of the United States army has secured a furlough and will act as ex-Governor McKinley's private secretary for four months.

Think He Was Poisoned.

[illegible], O., Jan. 16.—It is suspected that David Johnson, who was found dead in the rear yard of a hotel at Min[illegible] was poisoned.

Chillicothe Firm Fails.

CHILLICOTHE, O., Jan. 16.—Killits & [illegible] the largest department store in town was closed by a chattel mortgage.

Postoffice Safe Blown.

[illegible], O., Jan. 16.—Burglars blew open the safe in the postoffice and stole [illegible] of money and stamps.

A Thousand Men Idle.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Jan. 16.—John [illegible] general manager of the [illegible] Rubber company, gave [illegible] for the indefinite closing of the [illegible] Rubber company's works [illegible] The order went into effect [illegible] yesterday, and 1,000 men are [illegible] out of work.

Oregonian Charged With Bigamy.

[illegible], Jan. 16.—Nathan [illegible] has been arrested here accused of bigamy. It is charged that he [illegible] second time while his [illegible] from the mother of [illegible] coming.

He Thought So Too.

"Do you [illegible]" he asked as she seated [illegible]

[illegible] she answered, and after [illegible] he [illegible] with her.—Do[illegible]

A countenance habitually under the influence of amiable feelings acquires a beauty of the highest order from the frequency with which such feelings stamp their character upon it.—Mrs. S. C. Hale.

WOULD BE UNIQUE.

Japan Suggested as Arbitrator Between the United States and England.

Henry Labouchere, England's gifted Radical, suggests that Japan would be the fairest arbitrator Great Britain and the United States could select for the Venezuela dispute. There is a great deal of truth in this proposition. China might do almost as well, only there is a serious question whether even Li Hung Chang ever heard of Venezuela, and it would take too long to teach South American geography to his Celestial majesty of the Flowery Kingdom. Japan is a civilized power, not yet too much mortgaged to England to see clearly the equities of the question to be settled.

Great Britain and the United States are the two greatest Christian powers. Japan is a Buddhist power, having its own form of Buddhism, to be sure, with the mikado as its spiritual as well as temporal head. Great Britain and the United States are both practically republics. Japan is an absolute monarchy.

Thus we should have the singular spectacle of two Christian, self governing nations appealing to a Buddhist despot to help them keep the peace, to offer a righteous solution of a vexed problem and to prevent about 120,000,000 good Christians from cutting one another's throats. This would be a unique event in the history of nations. —New York Recorder.

PEACE EMBLEMS.

Prince of Wales' Message Adorns a Masquerader's Costume.

At the Covent Garden ball in London recently two girls, dressed as Columbia and Britannia, bearing respectively the flags of the United States and Great Britain, attracted much attention.

The American's dress was adorned with a facsimile of the Prince of Wales' cable message to Mr. Joseph Pulitzer, proprietor of the New York World, expressing the hope for peace, and the English girl's dress bore an extract from President Cleveland's message to congress.

Juliette Nesville, Florence St. John, Eleanor Calhoun, Maud Branscombe and Lois Fuller were among the masqueraders.

Clearing House Building Dedicated.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The formal dedication of the Clearing House association's new building took place with appropriate ceremonies in the presence of men foremost in finance and commerce, science and the arts.

To Boom Reed.

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 16.—Many prominent Republicans of Maine are in this city for the purpose of organizing a Reed club to go to the St. Louis convention to boom Speaker Thomas B. Reed as a presidential candidate.

Cannon and Brown.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 16.—Frank J. Cannon and Arthur Brown were nominated for the senate by the Republican caucus.

The war with the bey of Tripoli began June 10, 1801, and ended June 4, 1805. The number of men engaged in the naval force against Tripoli was 3,330.

Galvin Is a Murderer.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan 16. Samuel Pugh, who was shot by Patrick Galvin, is dead.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Jan. 15.

New York.

Beef — Family, $10.00@12.00; extra mess, $8.00; packet, $9.00@10.00. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, [illegible]; pickled shoulders, 5c; pickled hams, [illegible]. Lard—Western steam, $5.80. Pork—Old mess, $10.25@10.75; family, $10.00@10.50; short clear, $10.75@12.25.

Butter—Western dairy, 10@16c; do creamery, 16@25c; do factory, 10@18c; Elgins, 25c; imitation creamery, 12@20; state dairy, 13@21c; creamery, 20@25c. Cheese—State large, 7½@10c; small, 7½@10½c; part skims, 3@6c; full skims, 2@3. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 18@22; western fresh, 18@21c.

Wheat — 70⅝c. Corn — 35⅝c. Rye — 41@42. Oats—24@24½c.

Chicago.

Cattle — Fair to best beeves, $3.25@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.60@3.75; mixed cows and bulls, $1.00@3.50; Texans, $2.75@4.15; western $2.15@3.00.

Hogs—Light $3.67@3.87½, rough packing and shipping $3.45@3.55, mixed and butchers, $3.67@3.87½, heavy packing and shipping, $3.60@3.90, pigs, $1.75@3.45.

Sheep—Native, $3.50@4.00; western, $3.10@3.90; Texan, $1.50@2.70. Lambs—$4.00@4.65.

Wheat—59⅝c. Corn—27¾c. Oats—17⅝c. Rye—36c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime $4.10@4.40, fair to good butchers, $3.50@4.10; bulls, stags and cows $1.75@3.40.

Hogs—Heavy $3.80@3.85, medium, $4.00@4.05; roughs, $3.00@3.50.

Sheep and lambs—Choice sheep, $3.60@3.50, common, $1.75@2.00, choice lambs, $2.50@5.00, exports, $3.00@3.80.

Buffalo.

Cattle—Market slow.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3.90, roughs, common to good, $2.50@3.15, mediums and heavies, $3.85@3.90, pigs, $3.90@3.95.

Sheep and lambs—Extras, $2.40@2.85; good prime, $2.00@2.25, common, $2.25@2.40, spring lambs, $4.90@5.00. Veal calves, $6.00@6.75.

Cincinnati.

Wheat — No. 2 red, 67c. Corn — No. 2 mixed 29c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 20½c. Rye—No. 2 38c.

Lard—$5.30. Bulk meats—$4.70. Bacon—$5.75.

Hogs—$3.35@4.00. Cattle—$2.50@4.35. Sheep—$1.25@3.50. Lambs—$3.00@4.75.

Toledo.

Wheat—67c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 26½c. Oats—No. 2 white, 19½c. Rye—39½c. Cloverseed—$4.40.

HILL'S SHARP WORDS

NOT MUCH OF AN ORATOR, BUT FRANK AND PEPPERY.

Plenty of Fun In the Senate These Days. Traditions of That August Body Set One Side—Arbitration For the Venezuelan Trouble.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—[Special.]—This is the day of great changes and [illegible] in [illegible]. [illegible] and [illegible]. Even the staid and [illegible] United States senate appears to have felt the [illegible] hand of change and progress. One of the dearest senate traditions has during this winter [illegible], and a new and more [illegible] has taken its place. Until recently it was a sort of [illegible] to the senate [illegible] of [illegible] as the most dignified body [illegible] for a new man to essay a set [illegible] he had served at least [illegible] congress. In the [illegible] of the senate the young men were to listen while [illegible] did all the talking. All this is now done away with. It is no longer regarded necessary that a new member of the body shall sit in his seat chewing his finger nails and thinking regretfully of the great things he would say if he only had a chance. It is now perfectly proper for a senator who has but recently taken the oath of office to address the president, spread out his manuscript or notes and consume as much time as pleases him. Among the younger senators who have done much to break down this musty old tradition is Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts, who has made at least one set speech during the present session, and who is understood to be ready to make several more before the winter is over. Mr. Lodge made a great hit with his speech on the Monroe doctrine, and he is sure of an audience, both on the floor and the galleries, whenever he chooses to announce an oratorical effort. Senator Butler of North Carolina, not only a new member of the senate, but the youngest man on the floor, has indulged his propensity for speechmaking to his heart's content, while Senator Elkins had not been in the upper branch more than a month till he launched forth with an ambitious speech, and Mr. Elkins is not much of a talker either.

He Loves to Talk.

The man who most loves to talk is Senator Hill. The New York statesman is a peppery, tenacious, frank, bold, hard hitting sort of debater. He has no oratory as oratory is usually understood, but what he lacks in magnetism and eloquence he makes up in earnestness. Whenever Mr. Hill takes the floor, which he does oftener than any other man in the upper branch of congress, all the senators like to gather around to listen. This is so not because they expect a great flight of oratory, but because they are pretty sure of hearing some sharp words, of seeing some bold hitting, of witnessing some daring thrust at the first adversary who has the courage to put himself in the way of the New Yorker's lance. A sample of Mr. Hill's style was given a few days ago in a little tilt with Senator Teller of Colorado, who is himself one of the ablest and most trenchant debaters in congress. Mr. Teller's favorite silver question was touched upon, and he insinuated that the director of the mint had been too free with his advice to congress, and that the senator from New York had been too often running about the treasury picking up information. "I will say to the senator from Colorado," said Mr. Hill in his inquisitive way, "that I am not responsible for the director of the mint, nor have I been running about the treasury, though I cannot see why I have not a right to enter a great public department of this government if I wish. If it will add anything to the pleasure of the senator from Colorado, I will tell him that never but once in my life, when I went there for a moment simply to introduce a constituent, have I been inside the doors of the treasury building." This open avowal of his unwillingness to seek government patronage or of the uselessness thereof on his part greatly amused the senators who were sitting about. "And as for the director of the mint," continued Senator Hill, "I was among those who were opposed to his appointment. But I believe he is an intelligent man, and that he tries to give to the government the facts which it his business to know. I am sure at least that he is as well qualified for the office which he holds as any man could be who has spent his life running about the wilds of Colorado." Whereat there was a titter on the floor at Mr. Teller's expense, in which the Colorado statesman good naturedly joined.

Headquarters For Fun.

The truth is, the senate has so far this winter been the more interesting body of congress. Usually most of the fun is to be had in the house, where the debates often get personal and bitter. So far this session the senate has had almost a monopoly of this sort of thing, and it is curious to note that the crowds in the galleries, which, as a rule, are much greater in the hall of the house, have this winter thronged the senate chamber, eager to enjoy all the fun. They have not been disappointed very often, for almost every day some debate or other has brought out the lurking personal or party bitterness which exists in the senate under a rather thin covering of politeness. On several occasions we have had daring personalities in senate debates, and if this destruction of the old traditions continues much longer it will soon be impossible for senators to proudly say that theirs is the most dignified legislative body on earth.

Outlook For Arbitration.

Now that the movement for a general treaty of arbitration between Great Britain and the United States including the Venezuelan dispute is attaining so much headway on both sides of the Atlantic I [illegible] the fact that this idea was first given publicity in my dispatches. Nearly three weeks ago readers will remember, I discussed [illegible] of general arbitration [illegible] two great English speaking nations [illegible] forward as a happy [illegible] boundary [illegible] threatened [illegible] two nations [illegible] taken up both in [illegible] England, and I learn [illegible] that there is an [illegible] government will [illegible] these lines [illegible] Salisbury [illegible] a general [illegible] Venezuelan [illegible] Britain [illegible] Monroe doctrine.

WALTER WELLMAN.

THE NEW STATE OF UTAH.

For Nearly Fifty Years Polygamy Kept Her a Territory.

Utah's long struggle for statehood has at last been successful [illegible] forty [illegible]

H. M. WELLS.

[illegible] July 16, 1894, and [illegible] President Cleveland [illegible] admitting Utah [illegible]

Utah was part of [illegible] from Mexico in 1848 and was [illegible] 1847 by Mormons under the lead of Brigham Young. In March [illegible] provisional government [illegible] of Deseret" was [illegible] superseded by the territory of Utah, organized by congress [illegible] the territory [illegible] Utah then [illegible] rado, Wyoming and Nevada [illegible] area of 220,000 square miles [illegible] present area [illegible] miles. In 1849 [illegible] framed a constitution for the "State of Deseret" and [illegible] congress for admission [illegible] state, but the plea was denied [illegible] the polygamous practices of the Mormons. The granting of statehood was also opposed by the gentiles [illegible] non Mormon element, largely in the minority, was called.

One by one Utah's neighbors—Nevada, Nebraska, Colorado, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Washington, Idaho and Wyoming in the order named were admitted to statehood, [illegible] Utah, large and powerful, remained a territory because [illegible]. Finally the government prohibited plural marriages, the Mormon church repudiated them and Utah became a state.

Heber M. Wells, the first governor of the state, was born in Salt Lake City [illegible] years ago and was educated at the University of Utah. He is a Republican and was a member of the last two constitutional conventions. He was defeated for mayor of Salt Lake City in 1892 by R. N. Baskin. For five years Governor Wells has been cashier of the State Bank of Utah. He is a member of the Mormon church.

TWO CHINESE NEW WOMEN.

They Are Studying Medicine at the University of Michigan.

Of the four Chinese students at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, two are women. One of them, Mayin [illegible], calls herself Mary Stone and the other, Miss Kong, has assumed the English name of Ida Kahn. The girls are pupils of Miss Charlotte Howe, the well known Methodist missionary to China, who has made many sacrifices to educate them in America so that they may be fitted for future work among their people. The girls are senior medical students and seem to take deep interest in the work. They have been quite thoroughly educated in English and speak the language so well that they would not be characterized as foreigners by a stranger who heard them talk without seeing their faces.

MARY STONE AND IDA KAHN.

The home of these interesting new women from China is at the Methodist mission in Kew Kiang in the province of Kiangsi, northwest of Canton. The girls do not look at all alike. Miss Stone is a large woman and Miss Kahn is quite small and rather attractive in appearance. She is supposed to be a lineal descendant of Confucius, or Kung Fu-tse, her assumed name Kahn being her own liberal translation of her actual name Kong. The prefix Ida was given her by her friend and benefactor, Miss Howe, who prepared both girls for the medical department of the University of Michigan and even taught them the [illegible] know.

Miss Stone and Miss Kahn are [illegible] active workers in the Students' Christian association of the university. Miss Stone is secretary of the [illegible] medical class. She and Miss Kahn are somewhat reserved [illegible] quite popular with their fellow students who are much interested in their efforts to obtain a useful knowledge of medicine. With the girls are two Chinese boys, Yang Ping Cheng and [illegible] Chen, who are also pupils of Miss Howe. Cheng is a medical student and [illegible] is a sophomore in the literary department.

To Encourage Matrimony.

Belgium proposes to [illegible] marriage by reducing the legal age [illegible] years [illegible] man and [illegible] making the [illegible] of the father [illegible] parents.

Horses Broken by Women.

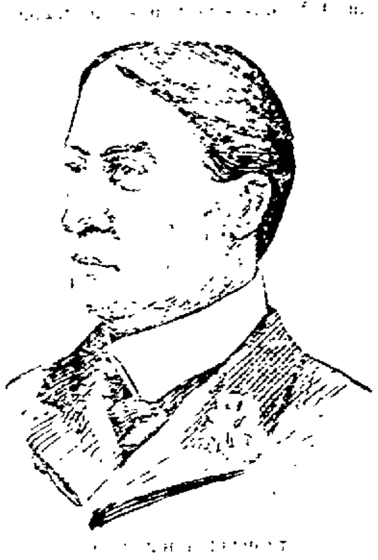
In Norway the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

OLIVER BELMONT'S SECOND BRIDE.

She Will Be Alva Vanderbilt, Who Not Long Ago Divorced William K. Vanderbilt.

New York society was not at all surprised [illegible] recently announced [illegible] O. H. P. Belmont. He was [illegible] Vanderbilt [illegible] when Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Vanderbilt [illegible] England [illegible] Mr. [illegible] New York [illegible] Mr. Vanderbilt [illegible] Mrs. Vanderbilt [illegible] New York. A [illegible] Mr. P[illegible]

[illegible] Belmont [illegible] Alva [illegible]



OLIVER H. P. BELMONT.

[illegible] Oliver Hazard Perry, who at the age of [illegible] an entire British squadron of [illegible] ships on Lake Erie in 1813 and sent his famous message, "We have met the enemy and they are ours," to General William Henry Harrison. Oliver Belmont as a boy adopted the sea as a profession and with an irresistible desire to become a hero like his illustrious ancestor was educated at the Annapolis Naval academy and served long enough to learn that he would probably be old and gray before he rose to the command of a ship.

Resigning from the navy, Belmont married Miss Susan Whiting, who later divorced him, and devoted himself to travel. His father left him a fortune, and his wealth has made it possible for him to visit about every part of the habitable globe. He has also devoted himself to the acquisition of a great racing stud and possesses one of the finest stables of [illegible] horses in the world. He owns a palatial mansion called [illegible] at Newport and entertains there [illegible] style. His grand bachelor ball at Belcourt last summer was one of the social sensations of the season.

A WOMAN AT THE WHEEL.

Mrs. Thorrold Steers a Tug and Will Soon Be a Full Fledged Captain.

Mrs. [illegible] Thorrold probably does not know it, but she is a new woman of the thirty third degree. She is the pioneer tug captain of her sex and not only owns, but steers the tug Ethel and Marion in San Francisco harbor. She did not make this departure because it was the fad to do so, but because two children were dependent upon her, and personally conducting a tug that seemed the best paying thing she could do. Her husband owned the tug, and it gave him a good revenue until one day, during a birthday romp with his little daughter, he was pricked by a pin, blood poisoning set in and he died.

For a time Mrs. Thorrold endeavored to continue his business with the aid of hired help, but the tug's net earnings were insufficient for her needs, and she concluded to learn the business herself. With an engineer at her elbow she took her first lessons and [illegible] was able to steer the tug as well as a veteran.

This does not mean that she can yet be officially addressed as captain, for she lacks the "papers," without which no

[illegible]

[illegible] a tug on San [illegible] and in[illegible] Ethel and [illegible] captain [illegible] Mrs. [illegible]

FOR LOVERS OF WHIST

"Diedrich's" Interesting Observations About the Game.

ADVICE FOR NEW PLAYERS AND OLD

The Immediate Point of Each Play Is Not the Taking of Tricks, but the Utilization of Each Card to Its Best Advantage. Authorities on the Game.

I

[illegible] whist has [illegible] the American [illegible] [illegible] philosophers and [illegible]

[illegible] American [illegible] the [illegible] Hinder[illegible] of their [illegible] development of the game of [illegible] conventions known as the American leads.

[illegible] whist is [illegible] upon the [illegible] in the game arising from the complexity of arbitrary rules [illegible] the qualities of [illegible] which [illegible] to [illegible] intellectual [illegible] advantage to the player. Whist can be played in this manner, but the [illegible] [illegible], the playing for one's own hand instead of for partner's and the [illegible] so called "sneaks," and false cards in order to mystify the opponents, are abominations to the lovers of the game and desolation to the mental habit of the player. Neither the routine game of leading out all the high cards in the hand, known as domestic whist, nor the cunning game of misinformation known as "bumble puppy" should be permitted for a moment, even under the plea of the persons indulging therein that they play only for amusement. There should be an earnest attempt at scientific—that is, logical—play from the very start. The novice should never make a play for which he does not understand the reason. He should enter into the study of the game with the right spirit, and then all will be plain sailing for him.

In the first place, he should bear in mind that while he is a novice he should never misinform his partner. Let him forgo seemingly sure opportunities to make tricks until the practice of giving right information upon every opportunity has grown to be second nature with him. After all the taking of tricks is not the immediate point of each play. This is rather the utilization of each card to its best advantage. The tricks will take care of themselves sooner or later.

There is conservation of energy in whist as well as in every other realm of science. [illegible]

[illegible] As to the general rule for giving information [illegible] it is agreed that [illegible] numerical [illegible] suit [illegible] composed of ace, king [illegible]

[illegible] This is imperative [illegible] It is impossible to deviate from a course of play that is laid down by the partner without misinforming him. Accordingly return the lead of trumps. For similar reasons continue with old suits, even though the lead of them has proved disastrous, rather than by the lead of new ones of which you have no information rush into greater disaster.

In general, therefore, the novice should cultivate the [illegible] qualities of [illegible] self sacrifice, consistency, courage and [illegible] To this end his physical [illegible] should be systematic and deliberate. The hands should be carefully arranged [illegible]

[illegible] to remedy the fault [illegible]

[illegible] New York.

LACUTA IS A PHENOMENON.

She Is Only as Tall as a Billiard Table, but Plays a Wonderful Game.

[illegible] table [illegible]

MISS LACUTA SHEARENBURGER.

billiards and pool ever since she was old enough to handle a cue. She is so small that she can scarcely look over a billiard table, yet she can play with marvelous dexterity. She cannot only make a run of a larger number than seems at all to count. It is not an uncommon thing for her to go to a billiard hall and play pool with a perfect stranger, taking every ball on the table in one game. The little girl has been playing pool and billiards now for about a year. She does not care for skates or sleds and is devoid of even the most incipient ambition to become a bloomer girl and ride a bicycle.

Her favorite toy is a billiard cue that weighs 15 ounces, and when Santa Claus visited Chicago very recently he made Lacuta the happiest little girl in the city by placing in her stocking a beautiful hand carved rosewood cue inlaid with ebony, mahogany and white holly and bearing her name on a pearl plate in the handle. Lacuta has heard of Arthur Krueger, the wonderful boy pool player, and is anxious to play a match with him.

GENERAL SPORTING NOTES.

Marshall Newell will assist Mr. Deland in coaching the Harvard eleven next year.

The Yale Baseball association reports an excess of $[illegible] in receipts over expenditures.

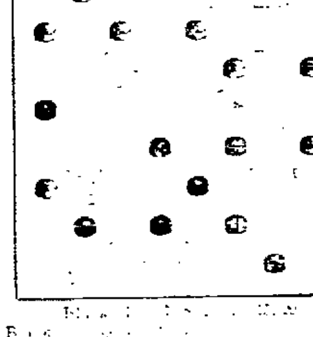
A Michigan newspaper calls John S. Johnson "the champion of champions, the king of kings, and all our own."

The Yale baseball management has arranged for a game in May with the prominent graduate players as a new method of coaching.

The Tennessee Derby, one of the first important [illegible] closed with [illegible] the Memphis spring meeting.

CHECKERS AND CHESS.

Checker Problem No. [illegible]



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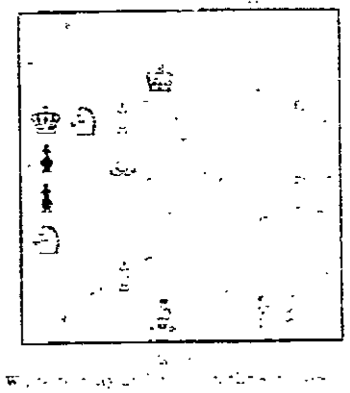

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respondence.]

12.—It is "on with , and when they are are dining, visiting, and going to the require women to gowns they can find. ways costly, but those ns and are in the New York generally care I have seen young la- wearing wash they made all those

ING DRESSES.

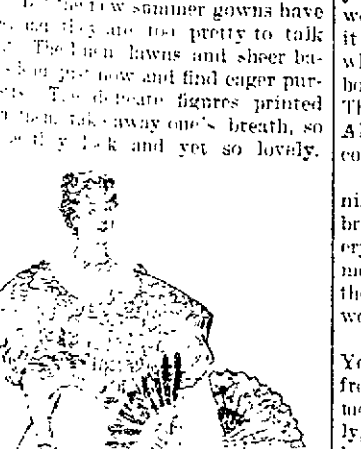
stuffs look cheap and more, I think, upon dress. Yet it would not to hear that the heart- Miss Muslin had been to splendid dresses. The

dresses are so in reality, nearly as striking, nor as ornate as did those of But they are much more One young lady wore one been handed down to had it not been that back there were no by her ancestors, who who thought an alpaca luxury. But the dress look- and few looked beyond it, swansdown silk, with figures of trailing lines of roses and foliage on a green ground. All around the skirt was a festooned flounce, with little bows of velvet ribbon set at equal The waist was pointed—al- waists are pointed now—and was gathered at the neck and down to the point under a narrow velvet belt. The sleeves were puffs of pink crape, and across the was a drapery of green velvet, bertha, having bows of the same the shoulder. A pert little bow of was arranged in the hair, and the whole costume bear a sort ment an altogether taking—

other "splendid" dress was of de soie and mordore velvet. of the skirt was of the gold silk, with a row of amber beads each front seam. On the beads five bows of mordore velvet The stomacher was of sulphur silk muslin laid in flutes. The were two deep flounces of fluted muslin, while all the rest of the was of the mordore velvet. The was cut princess form and of the and it formed a train quite long, exactly a full one. The low- of the bodice was richly em- with amber beads. The velvet knots and the graceful draping made this bodice one to when one felt that times are and the leaves all gone from

are some of the funniest look- this season that were ever car- They are made feathers, and also from the the turkey buzzard, but wonderful. Then little affairs of ivory larger than one's sticks of inlaid ebony crape border, and this embroidered in black

little variation in gloves or offered at the begin- And evening wraps whatever one likes summer gowns have too pretty to talk The linen lawns and sheer ba- now and find eager pur- The delicate figures printed take away one's breath, so and yet so lovely.



AND NEW FANS.

grandies and sheer There is an un- cottons and ging- Ducks, gal- like denim are and thicker or quite a run which are entire- in natural color is goods are polka or printed in all may be suit- practice for pretty gowns. shown so soon.

HARPER.

BILL POSTING.

How This Form of Advertising Is Carried on In New York.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—How often one looks out from one's front windows in the morning at a great blank billboard ugly in the extreme. And then at night, when returning from shopping or business, one looks again. Lo! a transformation. The billboard is gay with flaunting posters. Perhaps a beautiful woman in scanty attire greets one's sight, perhaps a huge lion shaking the bars of his cage; perhaps a pretty child smiles winsomely down; perhaps one of those Aubrey Beardsley nondescripts rampant startles and amuses one. Reds, yellows, violets and greens, a phantasmagoria of color and shape, a carnival of shapely forms in pink or black tights, a melange of weird and bizarre effects have taken the place of unadorned, plain, everyday, commonplace wood.

How has it all come about?

The business of bill posting has come to be most important. In New York it is a greater art and a more successful occupation than in any other city in the country. It is practically controlled by three firms, A. Van Buren & Co., Reagan & Clark and Harry Munson, the latter commanding fully one-half of the trade.

Munson, who has been in the business 19 years, was the first contractor to furnish advertisers with a list showing where their paper was placed. Before that if advertisers presumed to ask the contractor in what parts of the town he had placed their posters they were curtly told to go out and hunt them up. But Munson adopted a more just plan, and the result has shown in the building up of his enormous trade.

His headquarters are on Duane street, and here one may learn all sorts of interesting details about a business closely allied to the commercial and amusement interests of the town.

"How do you post New York?" I asked.

"To properly post the city of New York," replied my informant, "from the Battery to the city limits requires 10,000 sheets, which cost the advertiser $350, at 3½ cents a sheet to the commercial trade and 4 cents to theatrical customers. About $75 a week is the average theatrical expenditure for billing. If the contractor gets $100 a week from this class of custom, he thinks himself very fortunate. It is the commercial trade on which he relies."

"How is a poster made up?"

"A poster is made up of sheets 28 by 42 inches. An eight sheet bill occupies a space on the board 9½ by 7 feet full. All billboards are about the same height. Such a display costs the advertiser $28 per 100, or 28 cents a week each."

"For how long do firms usually contract?"

"As a rule, firms contract for a run of the boards for two months, though many of the largest advertisers contract for a much longer period. The Franco-American Foods company, one of the largest commercial advertisers, runs a contract for seven months. Barnum and Buffalo Bill are the largest theatrical advertisers, their posting in New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City costing $10,000 a season. The tobacco trade is eagerly sought by contractors, it being excellent custom. The liquor trade is not so good, possibly because it is not so necessary to advertise an article which men think they must have."

"How do you get the contracts?"

"Contractors have capable canvassers, who visit leading firms to get their ideas about posters. Suppose the advertiser has an idea, a design, in his head. It is first drawn on heavy paper in black and white or in colors, as the customer may choose. Then contractor and advertiser consult and criticise. Finally, when decided upon, it goes to the printer, who engraves it on wood or stone, as demanded, and it is reproduced exactly as the artist drew or painted it. Often seven or eight different colors are used, and there is a method whereby one color is laid over another—red on white or red on purple. Thus by running red ink over other colors several different shades may be obtained."

"And then?"

"Fresh from the printer's hands, the poster is folded in such a way that a workman who cannot read can put it up just as well as one who can. All the work is done from the outside in. Next it is marked by the foreman of the men, who is furnished with a list of the boards on which it is to be displayed. The advertiser furnishes the paper only. All the other expenses are borne by the contractor."

Munson has eight large wagons, furnished with ladders, paste cans and brushes. These start out at 8 o'clock every morning, each wagon carrying two men. Then there are 12 men who do the foot routes. The wages of these workmen are $2 a day, hours from 8 to 6.

Then rentals for posting space in New York are very large. They will run from $9 to $100,000. Some are paid monthly, some quarterly and some yearly, the lower rentals being paid monthly. For 85 feet at Broadway and Thirty-sixth street, which is a most desirable location, contractors pay $195 quarterly. Forty-second and Broadway, also very desirable, brings $900 a year. Broadway and Bleeker is another location coveted by the contractors and which commands a big price. In fact, Broadway all along commands special rates, running from $2 to $12 a stand, 28 sheets, 7 long by 4 high. The upper part of town, about Central park, is not nearly so expensive.

A successful poster must be novel, bold, startling, audacious perhaps—anything which will stand out in frank relief and command the attention of the passerby. The reason of the apparent success of The Yellow Book type of posters lies simply in their novelty. A prominent contractor says it is merely a fad like the new woman, and like her will soon vanish into thin air.

EDITH SESSIONS TUPPER.

AN UNCROWNED KING

THE STORY OF CECIL RHODES, EX-PREMIER OF CAPE COLONY.

Made $5,000,000 In Five Years and Is Called "The Diamond King"—How He Organized the British South Africa Company—His Dream of Empire.

These are the words of Cecil Rhodes, called the uncrowned king of South Africa, addressing volunteer troops at Buluwayo just before their departure, Jan. 7, 1896:

"Such treatment," he said, "is calculated to alienate the affection of loyal colonists. It is a manifestation of the spirit by which England lost her American colonies."

"He is the only man," said W. T. Stead of Cecil Rhodes, "with ideas that can be compared for a moment with those of the pope of Rome for the comprehensive scope and breadth of his purpose."

"He has the face of a Cæsar, the ambition of a Loyola and the wealth of a Crœsus," said another writer.

Even his bitter enemies—and they are many—admit that Cecil Rhodes is one of the great men of the century. His career makes it seem possible to accomplish anything he may attempt. He is truly the architect of his own fortune.

His father was an English clergyman, and he was the fourth son. He was born in Bishop's Stortford, July 5, 1853, and is therefore in his forty-third year. Ill health caused him to join his oldest brother, who was then a planter in Natal. That was in 1869, when Cecil was 16.

When the rush to Kimberley began, Herbert Rhodes started for the diamond mines, taking his brother and all the Kaffirs on the farm. Wealth came to them swiftly. In five years Cecil Rhodes was worth $5,000,000. Cecil returned home and entered Oriel college, Oxford. Ill health compelled him to return to Africa. But he studied at the mines, returned to England and passed the examination for his degree.

CECIL RHODES.

Cecil Rhodes became the leading spirit of the De Beers Mining company, which owned the richest mine in South Africa. After nine years of fighting between the companies the De Beers company, under the guidance of Rhodes, absorbed the others. It has a capital of nearly $20,000,000 and controls the diamond industry of South Africa. He has long been known as "The Diamond King."

It is agreed that Cecil Rhodes sought great wealth only as a means to an end. That is why he devoted his energy to getting rich for so many years. He is worth now about $80,000,000.

Kimberley did not content him. He longed to control the great mineral wealth lying to the north. In order to carry out his schemes he organized the British South Africa company, and then it was that the world first recognized the genius of Mr. Rhodes, for he obtained a royal charter. The Duke of Abercorn was made president and the Duke of Fife vice president. Mr. Rhodes was, of course, made the managing director. It is unquestioned that he is really the company and that his power in Mashonaland is complete. It was while carrying through this scheme that Cecil Rhodes gave $50,000 to the Parnell parliamentary fund.

Before he was 30 years old Mr. Rhodes entered the Cape house of assembly. In 1884 he was made treasurer general of the Cape. Afterward he was deputy commissioner in Bechuanaland.

It was in 1890 that Mr. Rhodes succeeded Sir Gordon Sprigg as premier of Cape Colony. It was then that he began to push forward energetically the schemes that he had dreamed of and planned for many years.

Nearly ten years before he had drawn a line across a map of Africa, from ocean to ocean, near the sources of the Kongo, and exclaimed:

"All that English, that is my dream!"

With all his might he extended the power of the British South Africa company northward, ever toward the Zambezi. To the west and east were the possessions of Germany and Portugal, whose agents had been for years scheming to gain that central stretch of land which the English call Zambezi. Rhodes outschemed them. Slowly but surely he crept around the Orange Free State and the South African Republic, cutting them off completely from communication with the north, except through his land.

And then English politicians began asking themselves, "Is the South African federation to be a British colony or a great republic?"

For this man is a leader among men. He has such followers as Dr. Jameson, whom he selects with rare knowledge. He gains confidence, when he seeks it, among savages or among the cultured. When he thinks it necessary, he kills.

He quarreled once with General Gordon, who said:

"You are one of those men who never approve of anything they don't organize themselves."

Mr. Rhodes reflected and then said:

"I am inclined to think you are right."—New York World.

THE CHESS MASTERS.

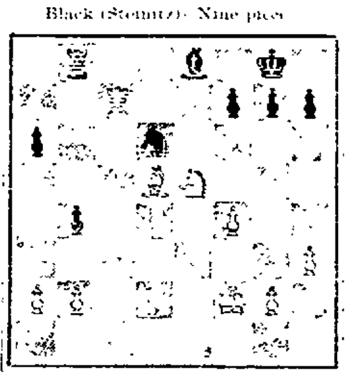
Scores of Three Games In Second Round of Tourney at St. Petersburg.

SECOND ROUND—QUEEN'S GAMBIT DECLINED

PILLSBURY. White.	STEINITZ. Black.	PILLSBURY. White.	STEINITZ. Black.
1 P Q4	P–Q4	16 R x Kt	B–Q2
2 P QB4	P K B5	17 R–K Kt3	B K
3 Kt QB3	Kt KB3	18 P–K R3	Q Kt3
4 Kt B3	P x P	19 Kt Kt4	Kt Q4
5 P K3	P–Q B4	20 B x B	Kt x B
6 B x P	Kt–B3	21 P Q5	Kt–B4
7 Castles	P x P	22 R QB3	B Kt4
8 P x P	B–K2	23 Q–K5	R–Q3
9 B–B4	Castles	24 P x P	R x R ch
10 R B	Q R4	25 B x R	Q x K P
11 Q K2	R–Q	26 B–Kt3	Q x Q
12 K R Q	P Q R3	27 Kt x Q	Kt Q3
13 B Q Kt3	Kt–Q R 5	28 R–B7	B–K
		29 B–Q5	Q R–Kt
14 Kt–K5	Q Kt–Q4	30 P–R4	P–Q Kt4
15 B Kt5	Kt x Kt	31 K–B2	P–Kt5

POSITION AFTER BLACK'S THIRTY-FIRST MOVE

Black (Steinitz)—Nine pieces.



White (Pillsbury)—Nine pieces.

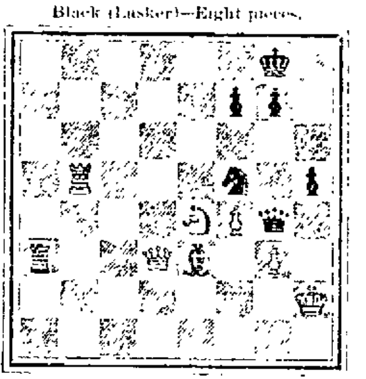
32 K–K3	P–Q B4	45 K x P	Kt x P
33 P K Kt4	P B5	46 B B4	Kt Kt6
34 P B5	P–R6	47 B x B	K x B
35 P x P	P x P	48 K Kt4	Kt x P
36 R–R3	R–Kt4	49 P Q R4	K Q
37 K Q4	R Kt7	50 P R5	K B2
38 R R3	K B	51 K Kt5	K B3
39 K B5	Kt Kt4	52 Kt x P	Kt x P
40 B Kt3	P–R4	53 K Kt5	Kt B5
41 P x P	R–K B7	54 P R6	Kt K3
42 R KB3	R x R		Drawn
43 Kt x R	K K2	3 h. 25 m.	3 h. 40 m.
44 K Kt4	Kt Q3		

QUEEN'S GAMBIT DECLINED.

STEINITZ. White.	LASKER. Black.	STEINITZ. White.	LASKER. Black.
1 P Q4	P Q4	22 Q x Kt P	Kt x B ch
2 P QB4	P K3	23 P x Kt	R Q Kt
3 Kt QB3	Kt KB3	24 Q x R P	R Kt3
4 B KB4	B K2	25 Q–B4	R x P
5 P K3	Castles	26 P KR4	B–B2
6 R–B	P QB4	27 B–Kt	Q–Q3
7 P x BP	B x P	28 P B4	Q Q2
8 P x P	P x P	29 B Kt2	Q Kt5
9 Kt B3	Kt B3	30 Q–Q3	R B4
10 B Q3	P Q5	31 Kt K4	R K6
11 P x P	Kt x P	32 R B2	R x B
12 Castles	B KKt5	33 K x R	Kt x P ch
13 Kt Q Kt5	B x Kt	34 K–R2	Kt x R ch
14 P x B	R K3	35 K–Kt2	Kt–R 5 ch
15 R K5	Kt–R4		
16 K R	Q Kt4	36 K–R2	Kt B4
17 B–Kt3	Q R Q	37 R–Q Kt	P–R4
18 Q–B2	Q R3	38 R Kt5	R–R
19 Q R Q	R–B	39 P–R3	R x P
20 Q Kt3	P–R3	40 Resigns	
21 Kt B3	Kt–Q5		

POSITION AFTER BLACK'S THIRTY-NINTH MOVE.

Black (Lasker)—Eight pieces.



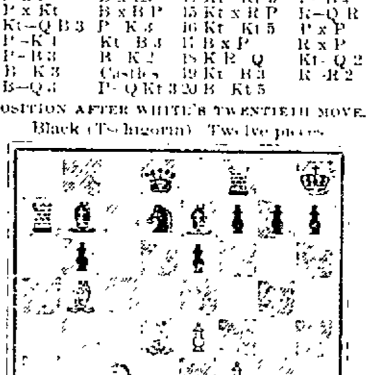
White (Steinitz)—Six pieces.

QUEEN'S GAMBIT DECLINED.

PILLSBURY. White.	TSCHIGORIN. Black.	PILLSBURY. White.	TSCHIGORIN. Black.
1 P–Q4	P–Q4	11 Castles	B–Kt2
2 P–QB4	Kt QB3	12 Q–B2	P R
3 Kt–KB3	B Kt5	13 Q–RB	Q R–B
4 P x P	B x Kt	14 Kt–Kt5	P–B4
5 P x Kt	B x B P	15 Kt x R P	K–Q R
6 Kt–QB3	P K3	16 Kt Kt5	P x P
7 P–K4	Kt B3	17 B x P	R x P
8 P–B3	B K2	18 K R Q	Kt–Q2
9 B K3	Castles	19 Kt B3	R–R2
10 B–Q3	P–Q Kt3	20 B Kt5	

POSITION AFTER WHITE'S TWENTIETH MOVE.

Black (Tschigorin)—Twelve pieces.



White (Pillsbury)—Twelve pieces.

20	B–R3	39 Q–B3	K–Kt3
21 R–R	Q–B	40 Q–B2	K–R8
22 R x B	R–R	41 Q–Kt3	K–Kt2
23 B x Kt	Q–B2	42 P–Kt6	K–R
24 B Kt5	R R4	43 P–Kt7	Q Kt
25 Q QB2	R–Q	44 Kt–K3	Q Q2
26 B x Q Kt P	R x R ch	45 Kt–B5 ch	K–Kt3
27 Kt x R	Q B8	46 B K6	Q–Q7 ch
28 R K2	R–R8	47 K–B	Q–B8 ch
29 Q Kt3	P–R3	48 K–K2	Q–R4
30 B Q4	P–B3	49 P–R4	P x P
31 Q–K	B–B4	50 P x P	P–R4
32 B x B	Q x B ch	51 Q–K3	Q–B7 ch
33 K–B	Q–Q5	52 Q Q2	Q B4
34 P–Q Kt4	R–Kt8	53 K B	Q–K B
35 P–Kt5	K–Kt	54 Q–Q6	K–B2
36 P–Kt3	K–B2	55 B–B4 ch	K Kt3
37 K Kt2	P–Kt4	56 Q x Q	R x Q
38 P–R3	P–K4	57 Kt K7 ch	Resigns

Claims the Banana Championship.

Two Broad street celebrities—Messrs. Talman and Perkinson—indulged in a banana eating match the other night. The conditions of the match were as follows: Talman was to eat more bananas in ten minutes than Perkinson or pay for the lot; otherwise a collection was to be taken up among the crowd of sports present to pay for them. The conditions were faithfully observed under the watchful eye of Referee Andrew Ginter. At the end of ten minutes Talman had concealed 39 bananas and Perkinson had stored away but 31. Talman is therefore the champion banana eater, with a challenge open to the world.—Richmond State.

Said Live Coals Didn't Burn.

S. B. Linski of Middleville, Mich., crazy over religion, took live coals from the car stove on his way to Grand Rapids the other day and declared they did not burn. Then he held his face against the steam pipes. He has a wife and four small children dependent upon him. He is a noted singer.

Drunkest Family on Earth.

John Ogden of Chester, England, has been arrested 136 times for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. His father shared this fate 35 times, one sister 67 times and a second sister 29 times. The turbulent family has cost the state not less than $10,000 so far.

A "RUN-DOWN," "tired out" woman who complains of backache, headache, loss of appetite, extreme lassitude and that "don't care" feeling is pretty sure to be suffering from "Female Weakness," some irregularity or derangement of the special functions of womanhood. Very often womb troubles set the nerves wild with affright and as a result the woman suffers from sleeplessness, nervousness, nervous prostration, faintness and dizziness, irritability and indigestion. In all cases of irregularity or suspended monthly function and in all those nervous diseases depending upon local causes Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will restore you to perfect health. Instead of the exhaustion and feeling of weight and dragging down in the abdomen, you feel fresh and strong. For young girls who suffer from irregularities, for the hard working woman who suffers from catarrhal inflammation of the lining membranes causing a constant drain upon the system, there is no prescription used by any physician which can equal in results Dr. Pierce's. For over thirty years Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute of Buffalo, N. Y., has used his "Favorite Prescription" in the diseases of women which had long been his specialty and in fully ninety-eight per cent of all cases, it has permanently *cured*.

Mrs. JOHN M. CONKLIN of *Patterson, Putnam Co., N. Y.*, writes: "I am enjoying *good* health and have been since I took the last bottle of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I took five bottles of it. Never expected to be any better when I commenced taking it, but thank God, I can say that I am glad it reached my home. I had falling of the womb and flowing caused by miscarriage, and was very weak when I commenced taking your medicines. I was cured by taking five bottles in all—two of the 'Favorite Prescription' and three of the 'Golden Medical Discovery.'"

MRS. CONKLIN.

Marked For Identification.

To all opera goers the halo surrounding Signor Arditi's head is familiar, and the maestro tells a good story about it at his own expense. It was in the days when the Mapleson Opera company, from Her Majesty's, was in America, and at one of the towns Arditi went to cash an opera check payable to himself and made out by the impresario. He reached the bank and presented the paper to the cashier, who looked at the check, then at him and said: "I must have some proof of identity. This is an open check. You may be Mr. Arditi, or you may not."

This was awkward, for the musician had no card or papers with him whereby to set the question of identity at rest, and he did not want to have a journey back to his hotel. At last a bright idea struck him.

"Do you ever go to the opera?" he asked the cashier.

"Yes, I have gone several times," replied the cashier.

"Then," cried the musician, turning round suddenly and lifting his hat, "do you mean to tell me you don't know Arditi?"

The familiar back view at once convinced the cashier, and, with many profuse apologies, the money was at once paid.—Chicago News.

Not a few who read what Mr Robert Rowls, of Hollands, Va., has to say below, will remember their own experience under like circumstances: "Last winter I had la grippe which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work, and the second bottle effected a cure." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by L. H. Flocken, the druggist.

Mitigating.

Little Dot—Teacher says we needn't all learn to write the same hand.

Mamma—That pleases you, doesn't it?

Little Dot—Why, no. It's just as hard to learn to write one way as another. Now, if she'd only tell us we needn't all spell the same way, there'd be some comfort in it.—London Advertiser.

If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails.

Flocken's Drug Store.

Difficult.

Pupil—What, in your opinion, professor, is the most difficult mathematical problem?

Poor Professor (grimly)—Trying to make both ends meet, my dear sir.—London Fun.

An Ohio Father's Baby.

"My wife received a sample bottle of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. For four months she hardly took her clothes off baby cried so. The sample of Dr Hand's Colic Cure worked like magic. I went right to the drug store and bought a 25c bottle and a bottle of Dr Hand's Pleasant Physic, and we are truly grateful that such relief has come to baby and to us."—Respectfully Geo. M. Vaught, Delaware Ohio.

Sanguine.

Strawber—What! You've known her only two weeks and are engaged to her? That's doing well.

Singerly—It isn't half so well as I expect to do after we are married.—Detroit Free Press.

Coughing irritates the delicate organs and aggravates the disease. Instead of waiting, try One Minute Cough Cure. It helps at once, making expectoration easy, reduces the soreness and inflammation. Every one likes it.

Flocken's Drug Store.

Got to Keep Up the Motion.

"What makes you chew gum all the time?" inquired the office boy.

"Haven't got anybody to talk to," answered the girl at the typewriting machine.—Chicago Record.

Making Him Happy.

Uncle Ike, as they called him in Montezuma, has always been a queer character. Years ago, as the story goes, he lived up in the edge of Taylor county, and every Saturday would come to town to get drunk and have a rousing time with the boys. The old man finally decided to emigrate to Texas, where he remained several years and then returned to his old place.

The old man looked sad and dejected when he was told that since his departure Montezuma had become civilized enough to have sidewalks and the telegraph. He could not believe it till he went to town and saw it with his own eyes, and when he realized the truth, the old man wept like a child.

He hunted up the mayor and told him he was 60 years old and had no hope of living through the winter. He had come to town expecting to get drunk, ride his old mule through saloons and do considerable singing and yelling, and it saddened the mayor's heart to be obliged to tell him that any such conduct would result in his arrest. Tears were falling down his aged cheeks as he asked official permission to ride through just one saloon and shoot six holes in the mirror behind the bar. When the mayor had to refuse it, he begged to be allowed to gallop up and down the street and shoot at glass insulators on the telegraph poles. His honor couldn't sanction that either, but after discussing the matter he made a compromise with him. It was agreed that he might stand on the public square and utter a dozen old time hoots and then go and get drunk, but there was to be no riding or shooting.

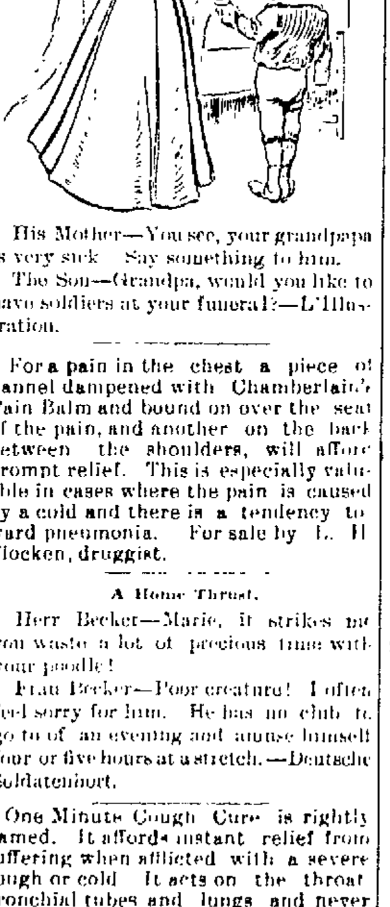
Old Ike selected 7 o'clock in the evening as his hour, and the city marshal was on hand to count his hoots. The first three brought everybody into the street, and the next three started half the population out of town. The last one was a grand wind up which jarred the shingles on the roofs, and when he got through the old man felt himself ten years younger. An hour later he was blind drunk, and by the mayor's direction he was laid away on a bed of shavings in a carpenter shop.

The mayor didn't deny that it was against the ordinance, and he certainly had no legal authority to permit it, but he wanted to make old Ike happy once more, and he was willing to take the responsibility.—Atlanta Constitution.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking these little pills.

Flocken's Drug Store.

A Sympathetic Child.



His Mother—You see, your grandpapa is very sick. Say something to him.

The Son—Grandpa, would you like to have soldiers at your funeral?—L'Illustration.

For a pain in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, will afford prompt relief. This is especially valuable in cases where the pain is caused by a cold and there is a tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by L. H Flocken, druggist.

A Home Thrust.

Herr Becker—Marie, it strikes me you waste a lot of precious time with your poodle!

Frau Becker—Poor creature! I often feel sorry for him. He has no club to go to of an evening and amuse himself four or five hours at a stretch.—Deutsche Soldatenhort.

One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief.

Flocken's Drug Store.

The Power of the Eye.

Blazley—I was coming down town on a car this morning, and the conductor came along and looked at me as if I hadn't paid my fare.

Bixby—What did you do?

Blazley—I looked at him as if I had.—Roxbury Gazette.

"MOTHERS' FRIEND"

Shortens labor, lessens pain, diminishes danger to life of both mother and child and leaves her in condition more favorable to speedy recovery. "Stronger after than before confinement" says a prominent midwife. Is the best remedy

FOR RISING BREAST

Known and worth the price for that alone. Endorsed and recommended by midwives and all ladies who have used it.
Beware of substitutes and imitations.

Makes Child-Birth Easy.

Sent by Express or mail on receipt of price, $1.00 per bottle. Book "TO MOTHERS" mailed free, containing voluntary testimonials.

BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS

Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Stomach Troubles,

All readily yield to the curative power of Lyon's Seven Wonders. It is a permanent cure. Thousands of testimonials to its merit. Makes the nerves firm and strong. Gives sweet sleep, perfect digestion, mental vigor.

Pure Blood, Perfect Digestion Sound Nerves,

Are sure to follow its use. Sixty doses in a box. Only $1.00. You can buy

LYON'S
Seven Wonders

Of your druggist, or address

The Lyon Medicine Co.,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Hon. Dan Waugh, Member of Congress from the Ninth District, Indiana, says:
After receiving the benefits I have from the use of Lyon's Seven Wonders, I take pleasure in saying a few words in its favor. For years I suffered with Indigestion and Stomach Trouble. I used various remedies, but found nothing that gave me relief until I used Lyon's Seven Wonders, which seemed to impart life and vigor to the entire system. I therefore give it my unqualified praise.
Yours, etc.,
DAN WAUGH, Tipton, Ind.

☛ We guarantee this remedy to cure or money refunded.

For sale at Flocken's Drug Store.

Changed His Mind.

"When I was traveling through southeastern Oregon last month," said Attorney W. W. McNair, "I found myself in a small village and with a large toothache. I found the local dentist with his whirligig engine that resembled a small lathe at the livery stable clipping a horse.

"'Do you treat teeth?' I asked.

"'Course. What do you suppose I'm here for?' he asked in a nettled tone.

"'Well, I have one here that needs attention.'

"'Want it pulled or plugged?' he asked.

"'I want it treated. How do you treat a tooth that is aching?'

"'Pull it or plug it.'

"'I think this could be saved if it had proper treatment.'

"'Want it plugged then? What is it, jaw tooth or gnawer?' And he tried to force a finger that was covered with dirt and horse hair into my mouth. I had grown a trifle suspicious of him, so I thought I would find out what sort of work he did.

"'Do you do bridge work?' I asked.

"'Not since I been practicin. I did build a bridge across Cow creek when I was ranchin, but I mostly confine myself to draggin fangs, doctorin horses and barberin.'

"'Do you ever transplant teeth?'

"'Say, I tried that onct, but she didn't work. Ole Bill Robi'son had a tooth that was achin, and he wanted it pulled. I got the wrong tooth. I tried to put her back, but Bill hollered and cut up so that I thought I'd try to transplant it.

"'I sawed off the snags and riveted it to Bill's plate of false teeth, but she wouldn't work. The first time Bill bit a bone with it the tooth swung around on the rivet, and he bit a hole in the roof of his mouth as big as a hazelnut.'

"I concluded not to have my tooth treated. The dentist was sorry and told me 'if it was holler to heat a knittin needle hot and poke it in the tooth or hold a chaw of terbacker in my mouth.'"—San Francisco Post.

Piles of people have piles, but De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. When promptly applied it cures scalds and burns without the slightest pain. Flocken's Drug Store.

An Up to Date Manager.

"What was the row?" asked the living skeleton. "I didn't quite ketch on."

"It was the tattooed man," answered the fat woman as she impaled another potato. "He says ef the manager insists on him wearin them new Obbery Beardsley designs he's goin on strike."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

De Witt's Little Early Risers for biliousness, indigestion, constipation. A small pill, a prompt cure.

Flocken's Drug Store.

Diplomatic Politeness.

The Washington Post tells a story illustrating the politeness of Minister Ransom. One day when he was in the senate as he was going down the capitol steps he saw approaching a very dull, long winded man. Ransom was alarmed. He was in no mental or physical shape to bear the brunt of a full fledged bore just at that moment. He must do something to save himself. As the dull one drew near Ransom in his desperation greeted him with sour shortness and hurried by. The other had paused, but at this brief dismissal, as it were, turned away up the steps. Ransom was smitten of conscience at his own rudeness. It was foreign to his polite and flowery instincts. He must do something to take the soreness out of the man. Ransom turned pleasantly when some ten steps separated him from the bore and called out: "Goodby, Simpkins. I've been thinking a mighty heap about you lately, Simpkins." At this Simpkins began to betray symptoms of returning. "But don't come back, Simpkins," remonstrated Ransom, wildly motioning with both hands. "I've been thinking a mighty heap about you lately, Simpkins, but don't come back; don't come back."

Robbery By Wager

Is something new in the annals of crime.

An Artist In Crime

Is something new in detective Fiction. The hero

Defies the Detectives

And wins his wager, doing a little detective work himself.

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THURSDAY - - JANUARY 16

Laureate Austin's reputation as a poet would suffer less if somebody would blue-pencil his stuff.

Ohio will hereafter be represented by two United States senators instead of one, and New York will lose one.

The STAR today begins the publication of a new serial story, "An Artist in Crime." Publication will continue from day to day until the story is completed.

The Washington Post thinks the Ohio Democrats who refused to vote for Brice should be ashamed of themselves. "Don't make a fuss at a funeral," says the Post.

When the will of the people is followed in the election of United States senators there is no scandal in connection. Ohio had no senatorship for sale this year.

The supreme court of Ohio has decided that notaries public must be men, or perhaps it would be more accurate to say, male citizens. No women need apply hereafter.

In contradiction of the report that he would resign, Joseph P. Smith is still hanging on as state librarian. The idea that Joey would resign was doubtless fostered by some practical joker.

Chicago refuses to license the sale of horse meat for human consumption. This action is probably based upon the theory that horse meat is much more palatable when called by some other name.

The Morgan bank syndicate, organized for the purpose of replenishing the gold reserve, has been dissolved. Thus Mr. Morgan's [illegible] which he would have raked in [illegible] has been spoiled.

Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma now want to be admitted into the Union. The claims of [illegible] will undoubtedly be considered by congress at an early date, and there is likely to be another increase in the same family.

That what designs Nature may [illegible] upon a fresh young state [illegible] not thoroughly understood. [illegible] nately for the report the grapes are said to have been as large as hen's eggs.

Strange, but [illegible] viewed for [illegible] the [illegible] about the matrim[illegible] then Harrison [illegible] year she may know more than the general.

There is some [illegible] that President Cleveland, taking advantage of the meeting of the national committee in Washington [illegible] say something about [illegible] term. Meanwhile an [illegible] will please be kind [illegible] breath.

Senator [illegible] has been [illegible] the fourth time to represent [illegible] the U. S. senate [illegible] choice of the Republicans. In the meantime the Republicans of the state are uniting in support [illegible] presidential candidate and [illegible] at St. Louis next June [illegible] about.

The Cuyahoga county delegation in the Ohio legislature is making a move to have the criminal laws of the state revised and strengthened, with the idea of leaving as few loopholes as possible for the escape of offenders. If the recommendations of the Cuyahoga gentlemen meet with the approval of the members of the legislature, and the laws are changed as desired, it is promised that Ohio will become an uncomfortable place for criminals.

HORRIBLE NEWS

Was That Received by Rev. Yenovkian the Armenian Lecturer.

Many Marion people will remember Rev. [illegible] Yenovkian, the Armenian who lectured at the M. E. church in this city last month. Rev. Yenovkian is now in Cleveland, and a newspaper dispatch from that city says that he is in receipt of a letter telling of the horrible butcheries by Turks of Armenians. The following is the text of the letter received:

"The house of your eldest brother, Baghasar, after being plundered, was burned and he is killed. The property of your second brother, [illegible], was burned, his house is plundered and he is at the gate of death. Your youngest brother is also killed. His house was burned and plundered and his children are wandering helpless in the streets. The families of your several brothers-in-law have been mercilessly butchered and not one of them lives. Their property has been burned and plundered. Your cousins are wandering in the streets, not knowing what moment their blood will mingle with that of the other victims."

Rev. Yenovkian is nearly distracted with grief. He is well known throughout the state and is a graduate of the Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware.

That dollar shoe sale at [illegible] is a hummer. [illegible] sizes up to [illegible] in ladies' and misses' shoes. You're missing it if you don't buy. [illegible]

The Judge Seney Resignation.

Kenton News.

The vague, unreliable rumors about Judge Seney's resignation continue to fly about. As stated by the Daily News some time ago, Judge Price stands mighty little show of being appointed to succeed to the circuit bench, but the following Bellefontaine dispatch insists that he does:

Common Pleas Judge John A. Price of this city is a candidate for circuit judge of the third judicial district. Judge Henry W. Seney of Kenton, the present incumbent, it is stated, will resign during this month. Judge Price has already been in close communication with Governor-elect Bushnell, and it is believed that he will receive the appointment when made vacant by the resignation of Judge Seney.

As is well known, Judge Seney has received the appointment of general counsel of the Wabash railway system, which accounts for his intended resignation.

Pure

Blood means sound health. With pure, rich, healthy blood, the stomach and digestive organs will be vigorous, and there will be no dyspepsia. Rheumatism and Neuralgia will be unknown. Scrofula and Salt Rheum will disappear. With pure

Blood

Your nerves will be strong, and your sleep sound, sweet and refreshing. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood. That is why it cures so many diseases. That is why so many thousands take it to cure disease, retain good health, or prevent sickness and suffering. Remember

Hood's

Sarsaparilla

[illegible]

Hood's Pills [illegible]

"Pure and Sure."

Cleveland's BAKING POWDER

"The results obtained by the use of Cleveland's Baking Powder have always been satisfactory."

[illegible]

[illegible]

The Date of the Democratic National Convention.

[illegible]

A [illegible] CANDIDATE.

Thomas E. Drake Presenting Strong Claims for Appointment as Insurance Commissioner.

[illegible] Mr. Drake [illegible] about Mr. Drake's friends [illegible] street, and has as [illegible] the personal indorsement of almost every merchant on the street.

Mr. Drake is an old [illegible]. He was in [illegible] a number of years and [illegible] twelve years from [illegible]. For ten years he was engaged in [illegible] and [illegible] he shrewdly [illegible] an appointment of [illegible], and has personally [illegible] a great [illegible] greater volume of business than any other portion of the state. He [illegible] business the day after his nomination, and received an answer on June [illegible] that Mr. [illegible] warrant him in entering the race. He has an immense bundle of indorsements from prominent men, among whom are ex-Gov. Cox, Dean of the Cincinnati Law School, [illegible] of Akron, E. B. Taylor of Warren, [illegible] Congressman Shepard, [illegible] and a host of others not confined to the state.

FROM CLARIDON.

What Is Going on in That Neck of the Woods.

[illegible] last Friday [illegible] Alkire levied on property [illegible] Perry Irwin to satisfy a [illegible] by King & Watson.

Parties from [illegible] have begun suit in Squire King's court against [illegible] of Morral, to recover [illegible] several car loads of oats sold [illegible] by Mr. [illegible].

[illegible] Messenger and family have returned from Kansas and expect to make their future home with E. Wiley, near [illegible].

[illegible] was in Marion on business last Saturday.

Rev. [illegible] Myers of Cincinnati will preach at the Union church Sunday at [illegible] a. m.

Miss Mary [illegible] spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Marion.

[illegible] was in Marion Saturday.

[illegible] is having his hay press thoroughly repaired, and will be ready for spring work.

Will Baker will move to [illegible] and engage in the meat business with John Weil.

Several cases of measles have been reported in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. King have returned from West Liberty, after spending a few weeks with friends and relatives.

Mr. George Drake and [illegible] Marion [illegible] last Friday [illegible] of the [illegible] Mary Lee.

From Claridon [illegible].

[illegible]

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

SUICIDE MADE EASY.

PLAN OF THE CIGARETTE TRUST TO GIVE AWAY [illegible] SMOKES.

War Against the Trust by the Plug Tobacco Makers Carried Into the East—It Arose From the Trust Invading Territory of Western Men.

[illegible]

LEFT HANDED ALL OVER.

All of [illegible] Organs Are Transposed.

[illegible]

A WONDERFUL WELL.

It Is In Kansas and Is Said to Cure Hog Cholera.

[illegible] —Kansas City Times.

A Portrait of Washington.

[illegible]

ALFRED THE SECOND.

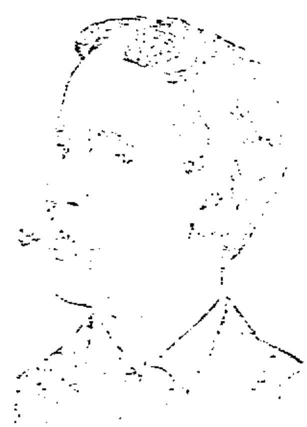
The New Poet Laureate Resembles Tennyson In One Particular at Least.

[illegible]

HOBNOBBED WITH HEAD HUNTERS.

Editor Harrison and His Hair Raising Adventures Among the Solomon Islanders.

[illegible] head hunters [illegible] the Solomon islanders. [illegible]



MUNYON

The Truth from Honest People.

READ WHAT THEY SAY

[illegible]

[illegible]

Munyon's Nerve Cures [illegible] and builds up the system. [illegible]

Munyon's Headache Cure [illegible] in three minutes. [illegible]

[illegible]

Munyon's Vitalizer restores lost powers to weak men. Price $1.

A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly at 25 cents a bottle.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

HISTORICAL FASHIONS.

[illegible]

HELPED CONVICT HIS S

The Prisoner's Father One of the Jury Who Found Him Guilty.

A very unusual occurrence [illegible] in the [illegible] charged with [illegible] The jury [illegible] the regular [illegible] Martin Hall [illegible] Judge Sommers [illegible] guilty [illegible] It is probably [illegible] father [illegible] Judge Sommers was called [illegible] investigate [illegible] —New Orleans Picayune.

"THE PURPLE EAST."

Stanzas of the Poem Not Cabled to United States.

When it was announced that E[illegible] had refused to make William W[illegible] poet laureate because of his Liberal [illegible] "The Purple East," only the [illegible] was cabled to this country. Westminster Gazette, in the [illegible] which arrived here by a mail steam[illegible] stanzas, a second and third [illegible] there is little wonder that England refused to honor a man who [illegible] truthfully of Lord Salisbury. The sta[illegible] from The Gazette follow:

[illegible]

A WONDERFUL LETTER

It Is Claimed That It Will Protect T[illegible] Who Carry It.

A resident of Nevada, O., has [illegible] possession a peculiar document [illegible] regarding [illegible] wonderful stories are [illegible] The document is a copy. It is said to have fallen from heaven and [illegible] been found in Holstein, Germany, [illegible] It was wrought in gold [illegible] and for 62 years disappeared. [illegible] claimed that whoever wears it w[illegible] protected from harm.

The man who possesses a [illegible] carried it [illegible] the rebellion and was not harmed [illegible] to try the efficacy of the writing [illegible] the best marksmen could [illegible] animal.

Very Valuable Metal.

The metal glucinum, [illegible] chemical rarity, is likely to [illegible] useful material [illegible] electrical work. It is only [illegible] as water and is [illegible] lighter than aluminum. [illegible] At its present price [illegible] —Engineer.

Adventures of a Maine Gum C

Last week a Bradford man [illegible] —Portland Press.

Seeking Religion In a Co

[illegible] —St. Louis Democrat.

Real Estate BARGAINS.

[illegible] AND PRICES ENQUIRE OF

FRED W. PETERS,

[illegible] over Deposit Bank.

[illegible] of 7 rooms, close to [illegible] center of the city, south [illegible] of Mrs. M. A. Peters, [illegible] Prospect street.

[illegible] Mrs. M. A. Peters, on [illegible] street, containing 10 [illegible] room with all mod- [illegible]

[illegible] block on north Main

[illegible] on Jefferson street, of [illegible] acres.

[illegible] on Delaware avenue [illegible] one 18x28 and one [illegible] cistern, waterworks [illegible] yard. Barn 18x24 with [illegible] Cash payment of $1200 [illegible] the rest to suit purchaser.

COAL!

We have an office at

AMBERG'S

Shoe Store. We handle all kinds of Hard and Soft Coal.

HAWKINS BROS.

TURNEY

UNDERSELLS,

REALLY.

NOW AND

EVERY

YEAR.

Even Ananias Of Old

Would have to tell the truth and say that

Headley

Is the leader in Drugs.

HANDY

—FOR—

COAL OR WOOD!

[illegible] town office is in room of [illegible] Bazar.

[illegible] is 169.

[illegible] Coal and Wood or- [illegible] we can satisfy you

[illegible] prompt service.

[illegible] by 'phone or by calling [illegible] at Bazar or at our [illegible] street, west of Huber

GROSSCUP & PLANK.

FOR RENT—Two good houses for rent, one on John street and one on Oak street. C. T. HARDING.

FOR SALE—A [illegible] ed on [illegible] of L. S. Reed, Marion County Bank. [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] lots and good homes in all parts of the city. A. BARNES, over Kleinmaier's, Pres.

FOR SALE—[illegible] at [illegible] Marion [illegible] Park Hall. 42tf GEO. ACKERMAN.

FOR SALE—Marion Electric Light and Power Co. [illegible] 11t7 [illegible] Agent.

FOR SALE—[illegible] lot on east side of the [illegible] West Center Street

ROOMS TO LET—Two rooms, nicely furnished and heated, at 252 South State Street. Inquire at residence. MRS. E. S. BELL.

TYPEWRITING on short notice from copy or dictation [illegible] shorthand and typewriting at reasonable rates. Call at or address Room 8, Y. M. C. A. Building. 36tf R. H. BOWERS.

TWO Nice [illegible] houses for rent. A. BARNES, Real Estate Agt., 16 tf 109 north Main street.

WANTED—Good girl to do general housework. Inquire of Mrs. M. B. Dickerson, Kensington place. [illegible]

Cocoa and Chocolates [illegible] are unexcelled for Purity of Material and Deliciousness of Flavor. Their Pink Wrapper Vanilla Chocolate is a favorite for Eating and Drinking. Grocers everywhere

Huyler's

A SURPRISE PARTY

Given Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller Wednesday Night.

About fifty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller surprised them at their home on east George street, Wednesday night.

Cards were played and an elegant feast was spread after doing full justice to which the guests put in the time dancing.

The occasion was in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Miller and the guests in departing wished that estimable lady many returns of the day.

LOCAL MENTION.

Poverty social tonight.

Free at M. E. social tonight.

C. F. Crouso is managing the Big Four House for J. W. Severe.

Everyone loves the Flower mission. Come, help us and enjoy yourself.

No agent will give you as good insurance for as little money as H. N. Love. 38tf

The celebrated Maple Hill lump coal for sale by Linsley & Lawrence. Telephone No. 6. 33-tf

The big discount sale of boots and shoes at Tristram & Young's is attracting large crowds of buyers. 45t2

The Big Four House is the best one dollar a day hotel in the city. Meals at all hours, opened day and night. 1

The Tribe of Ben Hur will meet in regular session this evening and transact the routine business that comes before the meeting.

Admission to the Presbyterian baby show, Friday evening, January 17th, is 25c for adults and 10c for children fees served extra, 5c. 11t2

The M. E. ladies are out today with a fine new bulletin board. Don't fail to see it in front of J. W. Thew's grocery, on South Main street. 1

Drake's livery, hack and baggage line. No. 128 S. State street. Prompt attention to calls for hacks for trains, parties or funerals. Phone No. 166. 43t6

The mammoth cut in shoes at Tristram & Young's is still going on. Remember every pair of shoes is subject to a 20% reduction, regardless of cost. 45t2

There will be a meeting of the B. P. O. Elks this evening and it is desired that there be a large attendance, as there is business of importance to transact.

Nathan Crist, who cut George Smith with a knife on July last, pleaded guilty to assault before Judge Gill, at Delaware. He was given $25 and 30 days in the county jail.

Ladies wishing sanitary treatment at their own homes in the line of vapor, medicated and electric baths can be accommodated by calling on Mrs. Dr. P. E. Harding. 16tf

Upper Sanduskians who attended the inauguration all returned home with cramps in the stomach. Hereafter when they go to Columbus they will each take a jug along no doubt.

The ladies of the Free Baptist church will hold their exchange Saturday, Jan 18, in the church parlors, and will have an abundance of everything good to eat. A liberal patronage is asked. 16t3

If you wish to buy a house or a lot call and see me. And if you wish to sell your house or lot, come and see me also. I may be able to do you good. Strict attention paid to business.

A. BARNES, real estate agent.
16etf 109 north Main street.

The Upper Sandusky Union says: "Marion bankers will not take part in the popular loan. The fact is, Marion is not in the habit of investing in anything liable to carry a cent beyond its incorporated limits. Marion is for Marion, and as a matter of fact, has grown fat in the operation."

"We do not believe the story," says the Mansfield News, "charged to Bucyrus, that the gentleman caller to whom a young society belle of that city stated that her health had been greatly improved since she took Delsarte, wisely asked: 'Do you take it internally or rub it on?'"

INJURED AT MAGLEY.

A MARION MAN RUN OVER BY A C AND E TRAIN.

Lying Across the Rails He Falls Asleep and the Train Crushes Him Seriously. He Will Be Brought To His Home In This City.

Word was received here this afternoon that Ed McNamara had been injured at Magley, Ind., on the C and E, by train 2, at 2 o'clock. The message stated that he had been drinking and was lying across the track when the train struck him and he was nearly killed. His home is in this city, and he had relatives residing on north Prospect street. The accident will probably be fatal.

Edward McNamara will be very well remembered here. His mother, Mary McNamara, resides on north Prospect street, and is a most estimable lady and well known in the city. Edward was an incorrigible lad and was sent to the reform farm. He made his escape from there, and as near as can be learned has been roaming about the country a part of the time at least since that. He is in the neighborhood of eighteen or nineteen years of age. The message was received here too late to see his mother and get her confirmation of the story. He will be brought home this evening.

EDWARD NAYLOR.

He Is Charged With Stealing Furs from David Montee, at Little Sandusky.

This afternoon Edward Naylor was arrested on suspicion of having been implicated in stealing the hides of David Montee, near Little Sandusky, the theft of which is mentioned elsewhere in today's STAR. It is claimed that Naylor wrote to Monte and asked him if he had sold the furs, and was the instigator of the theft. He was taken to the city prison and locked up, and other arrests will very likely follow. The evidence against young Naylor is very strong.

Naylor is the young man who married May Folliet last summer, but has never been known to be mixed up in any crooked dealing before this matter occurred. The warrant for his arrest was issued late Wednesday afternoon in the court of 'Squire McKinley.

Ladies' all-wool hose, worth 25c, will close at 15c. 45-2 SELLNER BROS.

REPORTED MARRIED

Attorney John B. Ryan Said to Have Wed at Lafayette.

News has been received here that John B. Ryan, the special pension examiner of this city, now residing at Lafayette, Ind., has been married in that city to Miss Anna Kennedy, a most estimable young lady. The report was received here by friends of Mr. Ryan, but his relatives discredit the story, and say if it is true that he has become a Benedict they have not been made aware of the fact. At any rate his friends will proceed to forward congratulations.

The Clothiers Agree.

Agreement made and entered into by J. Streletz' Sons, W. J. Geiger, S. Oppenheimer, Clarey, Stager & Mackin, W. H. Eckhart, Kleinmaier Bros., and Martin & Wiley, each of the above named firms being engaged in the sale of clothing or gents' furnishing goods or both at Marion, Ohio, and each of said firms agree to close its place of business at 7 o'clock p. m., and every day from the 16th day of January, 1896, until the 1st day of May, 1896, except upon Mondays and Saturdays which days all may keep open.

It is further agreed that Martin & Wiley may keep their ticket office open for the transaction of their ticket business in the evening, but each and all agree not to sell or give away any goods during the time it is agreed said business places shall be closed, excepting necessary sales for burial purposes.

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W. J. GEIGER.

25% off on our entire stock of goods. Martin & Wiley.

Robbery North of Town.

Word come from north of the city, near Little Sandusky, that a big robbery occurred there Tuesday night. David Montee had nearly one hundred dollars worth of hides in his barn, consisting of sheep pelts and the skins of small animals. During the night the boards were taken off the side of the barn and an entrance made to the interior, and the property stolen.

Word has been sent out over the country in regard to the theft and an effort will be made to catch the thieves. There has been several other thefts of this kind in that neighborhood.

Save Our Forests.

According to a Paris geographer, the largest remaining forests are in central Africa, southern Siberia and North and South America. With proper management North America would remain in this [illegible] permanently, but it will soon [illegible]. A vast army of men with [illegible] are slashing off the trees wherever [illegible] a dollar at it.—St. Louis [illegible] Democrat.

Could Not Afford It.

Physician—You lie awake in bed three [illegible] every night? That is bad. I [illegible] have to treat you for chronic in[illegible].

[illegible] salary is $14 a week— [illegible] doctor; I don't think it's as bad as that. I simply can't sleep.—Chicago Tribune.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Does Your Back Ever Ache?

What Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills will do:

THEY MAKE the Kidneys Strong and Healthy.
THEY FILTER all Poisons and Impurities out of the Blood.
THEY CURE Rheumatism, Gout, Eczema, Anaemia, Pimples and Malaria by [illegible] blood.
THEY ARE the greatest cure on Earth for Impure Blood, Backache, Kidney Pains, Dropsy, Pain in the Abdomen, Frequent Urination, Inflammation of Kidneys, etc.
THEY are not a secret remedy.
THEY CONTAIN highly concentrated extracts of Asparagus, Juniper Berries, Buchu, Corn Silk, Pareira Brava and Uva Ursi, [illegible]
THEY are endorsed by [illegible]
THEY are sold at [illegible]
HOBBS MEDICINE CO., Chicago and San Francisco

THE NIGHT OWLS

Made Merry at the People's Rink Wednesday Night.

The Night Owls held another of their most delightful dances at the People's rink Wednesday night, the music being furnished by the Marion Grand orchestra.

All the entertainments by the Owls have been decided successes and that of Wednesday night was no exception to the rule, the merriment continuing from 9 o'clock until well after the midnight hour, the complete program of twenty dances and two extras being carried out.

The dancers were Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Turney, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kling, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Uhler, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Scofield, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. White, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Strelitz, Misses Wallace, Fish, Cummin, Wilson, Hane, Newton, Uhler, Schultz, Quigley, Walters, McMeally, Cheney, Carrie Wallace, Ava Wilson, Florence Saiter, Stella Smiley, Hortense Cunningham, Mame Christian and Nettie Quigley, and Messrs. Lee, Reiser, J. W. Nelson, H. L. Uhler, G. H. Uhler, J. E. Philips, Shultz, Allen, Landon, Thomas, J. F. Dombaugh, Blaich, Rapp, McPhail, Honefanger, Smiley and Homer Hord.

Among the spectators were noted Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Allen, Mrs. M. Duff, Mrs. M. Uhler, Mrs. L. B. McNeal, Mrs. H. E. Allen and Mrs. Quigley.

25% off on our entire stock of goods. Martin & Wiley.

THE PEDRO CLUB

Entertained Wednesday Evening by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Darmody.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Darmody, at their north State street home, charmingly entertained the Pedro club, Wednesday evening, at six o'clock luncheon. The refreshments were both dainty and elaborate. The favors were Trilby hearts.

The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. M. Strelitz, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haberman, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Turney, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Poock, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Denman, Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Hamilton, Mrs. Margaret Patten, Mrs. J. M. Cleary, Mrs. Turney Clark, of Cleveland, Miss Darmody, Miss Clark and Mr. J. M. Ward of Dayton.

Scores of men's lace and congress shoes, in both black and tan, at just exactly half price. We leave the truth of this statement to all who investigate. To make our January sale hum we are offering our top-notch, up-to-date shoes at a good discount. Cash only, of course. We are overstocked and want money.

45t2-wky J. E. RHOADS.

An Explanation Seems Necessary.

An article appeared in the DAILY STAR of Tuesday in reference to the affairs of The Agosta Milling Company, which had evidently been misconstrued, either from unfortunate construction and expression or the obtuseness of those who have tried to interpret its meaning. The article stated that the records were being looked up, which meant the records at the court house and not those in the hands of any employe of the milling company. It was not the intention to convey the idea that anyone connected with the company as an employe was accused of wrongdoing.

What has been accomplished by the investigation so far as it has gone is not known, but should it be found that shady transactions have been taking place there is little doubt that they have been connected with the early history of the company. In any event those interested are assured that the item in question had no reference to those who are at present connected with the business of the institution.

Bread, Pie and Cake Sale

In the basement of Epworth M. E. church next Saturday, January 18, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. All ladies in the Third ward are requested to furnish for the sale without further notice. 1

A good program and good, old fashioned things to eat at the Poverty social. 1

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

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HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS OF

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OUR SPECIALTY--EVERYTHING.

TELEPHONE 8.

THE AFRICAN FEVER

Col. R. J. Diegle Has an Attack That Seems Incurable.

Beneath the large sized headgear worn by Col. Rodney J. Diegle, the showman, of this city, now touring Northeastern Ohio with big success, there is buzzing all day long a bee. The colonel has an attack of the African fever and is contemplating a tour of that country. His plan is not only a feasible one, but would probably be profitable, and he now says that he will take chances and make the trip.

Mr. Diegle has had a very broad experience in the show business, has learned the cost of wild animals, snakes and all sorts of inhabitants of the African jungles. Several showmen contemplate making a trip to Africa, and there snare these wild animals, catch snakes and put them on the market of this country. Mr. Diegle is well acquainted with a dealer in New York, who is going on such a trip and has been invited to go along. He has accepted, and if nothing prevents, expects to be one of the party.

C. J. Long, the sketch artist and painter of this city, has also a slight attack of the fever, and is contemplating going also. Mr. Long has had some experience at newspaper work, and is desirous of making the trip and furnishing sketches and short articles for American magazines and newspapers. He has also written to several periodicals and expects to form a syndicate that will pay his expenses, and then he can have the thrilling adventures of hunting and travel combined.

The Presbyterian baby show is to be a success. Sixty pretty little ones will be exhibited. This alone is sufficient, but in order to entertain further the Grand orchestra has been secured. The babies will sing, the orchestra will play and you will surely miss it if you stay away. Adults 25c, children under 12, 10c. 1

FAVORS THE CASH SYSTEM.

A Star Reader Has an Opinion Regarding the Commercial Agency.

EDITOR STAR: I read the item in your paper referring to the local commercial agency. I hardly understood the "mascot" but would like to air my opinion of the local commercial agency.

As I understand the term, it means a monthly or yearly bulletin—supported by the business men of the town—to find out who pay their debts and who do not. In some cases that may look right, but the fault in all cases is back of that, with the credit system, in fact. It lies with business men, who advertise a cash system and do not live up to it.

If a young man or lady goes into their place of business and admires their goods they urge them to buy, saying: "Take it right along. I'm not afraid but I will get my money," etc., etc., thinking if they do not pay their parents will. The young man or lady may have some poor paying position and feeling rich will "take it right along." If, in the course of time, they lose their position or any other cause, their parents must whack up or see their children blacklisted.

I say shame on the business man who publishes a young man or young lady whom they have gotten into their debt, through their own fault. The parents of such should spend every dollar they possess outside of such a set of men. Let the men of this town not lie when they say cash, but mean cash or nothing, as they do in large cities. The people would soon get used to the cash system and every one concerned be better off.

STAR READER.

Bargains in Shoes.

All of our odds and ends and broken lots are being closed out at less than half price. We need money and if you need shoes now is the time to buy. Note the prices.

$2.50 Ladies Fine Shoes Sizes 2½ to 4 $1.00
3.00 Ladies Fine Shoes Sizes 2½ to 5 1.50
4.00 Ladies Fine Shoes Sizes 2½ to 7 2.00

Men and Boys Shoes at Same Prices.

These bargains are in goods you know. We invite your confidence. These exceptional prices will be good only a short time.

J. E. RHOADS.

SMOKELESS COAL

JUST THE NICEST YOU EVER SAW.

Also Pittson Egg and Chestnut,
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And Massillon, Raymond City, Sedalia and
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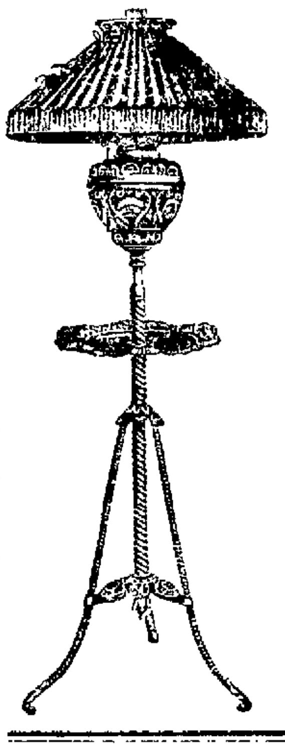

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We have received several beautiful Piano Lamps which we offer at a bargain.

Markert & Schoenlaub,

Proprietors of . . . .

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Men's Fine Beaver Overcoats formerly $12.00 now $7.50
Men's Kersey Overcoats, best garments in the house, formerly $18.00 now $12.00

SUITS.

Men's Suits, great bargains, formerly $5 now $2.50
Men's All-wool Cheviot Suits, formerly $8.50 now $4.48
Men's Fine Clay Worsted Suits, formerly $12.00 now $7.50
Men's Suits, finest in the house, formerly $18.00 and $20.00 now $12.00

FURNISHING GOODS.

Merino Undershirts, they have sold heretofore at 25c, now 12½c
Men's Natural Wool Shirts or Drawers, worth 50c, now 29c
Men's All-wool, Red Undershirts or Drawers, bargain at 75c, now 37½c
Men's Derby Ribbed Shirts or Drawers, been selling at $1.00, now [illegible]
Woolen Mittens for 10c. Fine 50c Mittens or Gloves for 39c
All our 25c Caps go at 19c. Our 50c Caps for 39c
Men's Silk-finish Suspenders, always sell at 25c, now 10c
Men's Linen Collars, you pay 15c the world over, now 5c
Men's Linen Cuffs—every size—bargains at 25c, now 10c
Boys' Knee Pants—best in the world for 35c, now going at 19c
All our $1.50 Hats for 98c, $2.50 Hats for $1.48 and our $3.00 Hats for $1.98

CAN YOU MATCH THEM ANYWHERE? COURSE NOT.

GO TO THE BLUE FRONT GREAT REMODELING SALE.

AN ARTIST IN CRIME.

By Rodrigues Ottolengui, Author of "A Conflict of Evidence," "A Modern Wizard," Etc.

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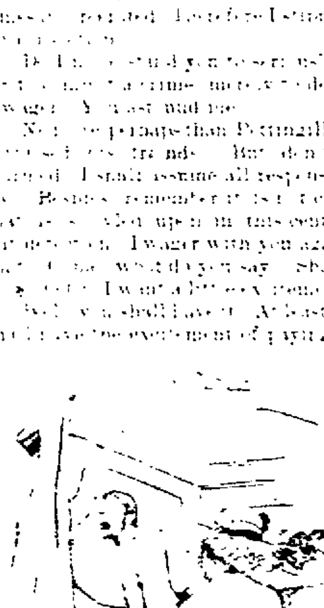


free at the end of one year and can prove to you that I committed a crime within the stipulated period I win the wager. If I am [illegible] the law [illegible] cent or [illegible] Is that satisfactory?"

"Perfectly. But what class of crime [illegible]"

[illegible] The wager [illegible] and my trusted [illegible] Therefore I must [illegible] the nature of [illegible]

[illegible] "A crime [illegible] wager is perhaps [illegible]"

"[illegible] very likely to win" [illegible]

[illegible] are two ways by which [illegible] two [illegible] this affair [illegible] have been [illegible] earn my [illegible] As men have [illegible] now, [illegible] have taken [illegible] But with my secret in [illegible] second party the position [illegible]"

"I [illegible] whether that I will [illegible] I will agree [illegible] the wager [illegible]"

"I prefer that you should be perfectly [illegible] in the matter. I expect it to [illegible] but I think that I shall carry out my purpose. Therefore your friendship for [illegible] The only one out that, if I do commit a crime, it will be some trivial one that you may bring your [illegible] under the circumstances. But let us suppose that a really great crime should be reported, and for some reason you should suspect me. You will hurry to my rooms before I get out of bed and ask me flatly whether I am guilty. As flatly I should refuse to enlighten you. You would take this as a confession of guilt. You would perhaps argue that if your surmise were correct you would be an accessory before the fact, and to shield yourself and do your duty you would make a clean breast of it."

"I am beginning to be offended, Bob. I do not think you would trust me so [illegible]"

"Don't get angry, old man. Remember that only a few minutes ago you warned me that you would cut me dead after the crime. We artistic criminals must be prepared against every contingency."

"I did not think when I spoke. I did not mean it."

"Yes, you did, and I am not at all angry. Let it be understood then that you will be at liberty to repeat the facts about this wager should your conscience prick you. It will be best for me to expect and be prepared for such action. But you have not asked what the second danger of discovery is. Can you guess?"

"No, unless you mean, as you suggested, your own confession."

"No, one that really makes a third chance. Yet it is so simple. Have you noticed that we can hear a man snoring?"

"No."

"Listen a moment! Do you not hear that? It is not exactly a snore, but rather a troubled breathing. Now that man is in the third section from us. Do you see the point?"

"I must confess that I would not make a detective."

"Why, my dear boy, if we can hear that fellow, why may not some one in the next compartment be listening to our tete-a-tete?" Mr. Barnes fairly glowed with admiration of the fellow's careful consideration of every point.

"Oh, I guess not! Everybody is asleep."

"The man who is a criminal from necessity takes chances like that with [illegible] I shall not. There is a possibility, however [illegible] some one in No. [illegible] has overheard us. Again [illegible] might be your Mr. Barnes himself."

"Well, I must say if you prepare [illegible]"

[illegible] But [illegible] that Mr. [illegible] would [illegible] New York [illegible] Of course [illegible] were [illegible] have [illegible]

"But [illegible] than there are [illegible]"

"Again [illegible] After his [illegible] Now, Mr. [illegible] New York [illegible]

[illegible] Mr. [illegible]

"[illegible] suggested No. [illegible]"

"Yes, I know that No. [illegible] is unoccupied. But just as we started some one came in, and I think took the upper berth of No. 10."

Mr. Barnes began to think that he would have [illegible] to detect this man [illegible] in advance. The [illegible]

"There are two ways [illegible] the matter of [illegible] As a matter [illegible] whatever [illegible] Mr. Barnes."

"How [illegible]"

"My [illegible] I suppose if an [illegible] however, I will [illegible] Pettingill had committed [illegible] Barnes [illegible] But [illegible] Mr. Barnes [illegible] than ten [illegible] are the only ones of the kind in the world."

"How does that happen? I supposed that such buttons were made by the thousand."

"Not all buttons. For reasons which I need not tell, the jeweler who made these to the order of a friend had a set made especially, and he sent them to me as a present. They are hand [illegible] set has [illegible] head of Juliet and the others a similar face of Romeo."

"And so [illegible]"

"That is immaterial. Suppose that I should plan a robbery in order to decide this wager. As necessity would not urge me either as to time or place, I could choose my opportunity. For instance, when but one person guarded the treasure. That one I would chloroform and bind. Next, I should betake myself to the designated place. Suppose that as I were about to depart a sleeping, uncalculated-for pet, an old pug dog, and bark furiously. I reach for it, and it snaps at me, biting my hand. I grapple it by the throat and strangle it, but in its death throes it bites my vest, and a button falls to the floor and rolls away. The dog is at last silenced. Your ordinary burglar by this time would be so unnerved that he would hasten off, not even realizing that he had been bitten, that blood had flowed, or that the button was lost. Mr. Barnes is sent to the house the next day. The lady suspects her coachman, and Mr. Barnes consents to his arrest, not because he thinks him guilty, but because, as the mistress thinks so, he may be, and then more especially, his arrest will lull the fear of the real culprit. Mr. Barnes would observe blood on the ground, on the dog's mouth, and he would find the button. From the button he would find Mr. Thief, with his hand bitten, and there you are."

"But how should you avoid all that?"

"In the first place, were I really wise, I should not have telltale buttons about me at such a time. But let us suppose that the time had not been of my own choosing; then the buttons might have been with me. Assured as I should have been that the only person in the house lay chloroformed and tied, I should not have lost my nerve, as did the other individual. Neither should I have allowed myself to be bitten, though if the accident had occurred I should have stopped to wash up the stain from the carpet while fresh, and also from the dog's mouth. I should have discovered the loss of the button, searched for and recovered it, untied the victim and opened the window, so that the odor of chloroform could pass off during the night. In fact, in the morning the only evidence of crime would have been the strangled dog and the absence of the pelf."

"It is easy enough to explain your actions under supposititious circumstances. But I doubt if in Pettingill's shoes you would have been able to retain your presence of mind and recover the lost button which led to his final arrest."

"It is possible that you are right, for had I been Pettingill I should have been driven by necessities as he was. Yet I think I should not have planned such a robbery, choosing my own time as he did, and then have taken with me such a button. But from Mr. Barnes' standpoint, as I said before, very little of the artistic was needed. The button was constructed of a curious old coin. Mr. Barnes went the rounds of the dealers and found the very man who had sold it to Pettingill the coin. The rest was routine work."

"Well, you are conceited, but I don't mind making a thousand out of your egotism. Now I am sleepy, however, so good night."

"Good night, old man. Dream of a way to earn an extra thousand, for I shall win."

For Mr. Barnes himself sleep was [illegible] than ever. He was [illegible] He would [illegible] him [illegible] and [illegible] carefully [illegible] himself and slipped [illegible] No. [illegible] settled down for an all [illegible]

[illegible] he kept [illegible] I shall [illegible]

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Her Bounty.

Mrs. [illegible]—You wouldn't know my husband [illegible]

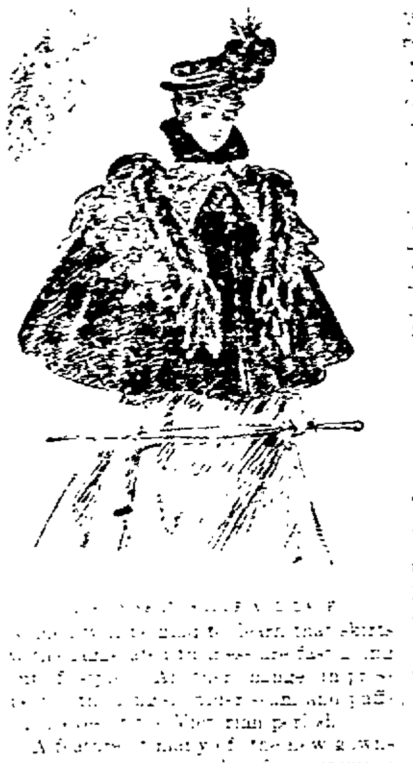
[illegible]—Why, has he changed so much [illegible]

Mrs. [illegible]—[illegible] I've changed him.—Philadelphia Record.

FASHIONS.

Salient Features In the Present Styles of Woman's Dress.

[illegible] Consequently [illegible]



[illegible] to learn that skirts [illegible] are fashionable [illegible] than period.

A feature of many of the new gowns [illegible] of velvet worn [illegible] elaborately trimmed. [illegible] and [illegible] are the [illegible] ruffs and [illegible] There are [illegible] of silk [illegible] to wear with [illegible]

[illegible] the popularity of [illegible] and jackets are increasing in favor. A very [illegible] is straight [illegible] front, with a box pleat [illegible] in the back. [illegible] Velvet coats and jackets are fashionably trimmed with fur.

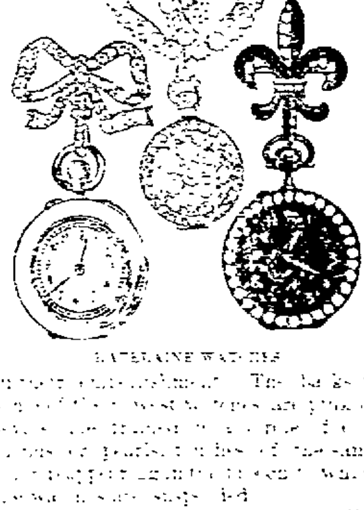
[illegible] among fur garments are chinchilla capes, stole capes, with flounces at the bottom and very high [illegible] sable tippets, with tails and paws [illegible] and jackets of sealskin, astrakhan and Persian lamb.

An example of the elaboration which is more marked than ever in furs is afforded by a cape of sealskin, with yoke and [illegible] velvet with black guipure and shoulder trimmings of [illegible]

Fashionable Watches.

Readers desirous of learning the correct styles in watches and chains will be interested in the following report from The Jewelers' Circular:

Watches for women are smaller and more elaborately decorated than ever. The chatelaine watch with open face and [illegible] back represents the [illegible] and bids fair to be a favorite for a long time to come. It is not only exceedingly convenient, but decidedly ornamental. Watch and chain are [illegible] decorated [illegible] the means employed [illegible] enameling [illegible] gems. Colored enamels figure largely



CHATELAINE WATCHES.

[illegible] The backs of [illegible] of the same [illegible]

[illegible] smaller [illegible] medium or [illegible]

[illegible]

Handsome Long Cloaks.

[illegible]

[illegible] is lined with yellow

[illegible]

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

During the Transition Period.

[illegible]

Many [illegible] are [illegible] Chamberlain's Cough Remedy [illegible] For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by L. H. Flocken, druggist.

A Disappointed Patriot.

"Well, [illegible] with England?"

[illegible]

"Disappointed?"

"Yes. I was just preparing to stay at home and write a history of it."—Atlanta Constitution.

No excuse for sleepless nights when you can procure Otto's Cure [illegible] This will relieve all [illegible] even the most severe cough and give you rest and health. Can you afford to do without it? Flocken's Drug Store.

An Observing Man.

Husband—[illegible]

Wife—It's a wonder you noticed that much.

Husband—[illegible] I stepped [illegible]

Allen's Discovery for Piles

Allen's Discovery for Piles will cure blind, bleeding and itching piles when all other treatments have failed. It stops the itching at once, eases the soreness, acts as a poultice and absorbs the tumors. It is a new discovery that cures piles. Prepared only for piles and itching and chafing, and nothing else. Ask today for Allen's Discovery. Sent by mail 50c. Address Allen's Discovery, Box [illegible] LeRoy, N. Y.

One Instrument.

[illegible]

"My Little Girl

[illegible] Souders' Extracts. [illegible]

SOUDERS' ELEGANT FLAVORING EXTRACTS

LEMON 10c. VANILLA 15c.

[illegible] oval [illegible] green label. Royal Remedy & Extract Co., Mfrs., Dayton, O.

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For sale at Flocken's Drug Store.

Hear It Ring.

[illegible] lamp chimney [illegible] ring [illegible] its quality. Try the same thing with any other lamp chimney and note the difference. The

IVORY TOP

Lamp Chimney is a new invention. It will not break with heat [illegible] Remember one thing. Ivory Top lamp chimneys are different from any other kind. Ask your dealer for them and [illegible] substitute. [illegible] free.

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FEMALE PILLS.

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Chichester's English Diamond Brand.
PENNYROYAL PILLS
Original and Only Genuine.
[illegible] Red [illegible] Take no other. [illegible] "Relief for Ladies," [illegible] Mail. 10,000 [illegible] Chichester Chemical Co., Madison Square, Philada., Pa.

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[In effect Nov. 17, '95.]

CITY DEPOT.

WEST.	EAST.
No. 1 .... 5:35 am	No. 12 .... 4.33 am
No. 5 .... 10:25 am	No. 18 .... 10:55 pm
No. 3 .... 10:55 pm	No. 8 .... [illegible] pm
No. 37 local 7:45 am	No. 38 local [illegible]

Nos. 37 and 38 run between Galion and Dayton only.

No. 18 runs to Salamanca only.

[In effect Nov. 10, '95.]

C. AND E. DIVISION.

MARION JUNCTION DEPOT.

WEST.	ARRIVE.
No. 1 .... [illegible] am	No. 12 .... [illegible] am
No. 5 .... 10:25 am	No. 2 .... [illegible] pm
No. 3 .... 11:35 pm	No. 8 .... [illegible] pm
No. 33 .... 12:55 pm	No. 32 .... [illegible] pm

Nos. 33 and 32 run between Marion and Lima only. Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sundays, and stop at all stations.

[In effect 12 p. m. Sunday, Oct. 3, 1895.]

BIG FOUR.

EAST.	WEST
No. 36 .... 9.40 am	No. 11 .... 5:15 am
No. 12 .... 5.25 pm	No. 37 .... [illegible]
No. 18 .... 11:57 pm	No. 3 .... [illegible]
No. 34 local 3.55 pm	No. 35 local 11.8 am

No. 11, daily, stops at LaRue.
No. [illegible] daily except Sunday, makes local stops.
No. [illegible] daily, make local stops.
No. [illegible] daily, stops at Caledonia.
No. [illegible] daily except Sunday, makes local stops west of Galion.
No. [illegible] daily, does not make local stops.
Local daily except Sunday.

[In effect Dec. 15.]

C., H. V. and T.

(BUCKEYE ROUTE)

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 31 .... 5:55am	No. 36 .... [illegible]
No. 33 .... 10:25am	No. 34 .... [illegible]
No. 35 .... 4:58pm	No. 32 .... [illegible]
No. 37 .... 10:29pm	No. 30 .... [illegible]

Trains 31 and 34 daily except Sunday.

THE COLUMBUS SANDUSKY AND HOCKING RAILROAD CO.

[In effect Dec. [illegible] 1895.]

NORTH BOUND.	SOUTH BOUND.
No. 1 .... 9:00am	No. 2 .... [illegible]
No. 3 .... [illegible]pm	No. 4 .... [illegible]
No. 5 .... [illegible]	No. 6 .... [illegible]

No passenger trains run on Sunday.

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Opening Chapters in This Issue.

A. P. T. L.

The American Protective Tariff League is a national organization advocating Protection to American Labor and Industry as explained by its constitution, as follows:

"The object of this League shall be to protect American labor by a tariff on imports, which shall adequately secure American industrial products against the competition of foreign labor."

There are no personal or private profits in connection with the organization and it is sustained by memberships, contributions and the distribution of its publications.

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GUILBERT'S BEGINNING

How the French "Divette" Became the Idol of Paris.

SHE APPEARED IN PANTOMIME.

View of Her Methods From the French Standpoint—Said to Have Refined Considerably—She Used to Make Her Appearance Mounted on a Donkey.

More has been printed about Yvette Guilbert than about any other vaudeville artist that ever visited this country. Every word that she has been willing to write has been eagerly snapped up by the newspapers in New York and other cities. Let us look at the divette as she appeared on the other side of the water not so very long ago, when she was just beginning to create a furore. And let us regard her strictly from the standpoint of the enthusiastic Frenchman.

Every visitor to Paris knows the Nouveau Cirque. It is in the old Rue St. Honore, near the Rue Royale. Here Yvette Guilbert sang every evening four years ago. She came late. Her cab waited at the door to take her on to another place, for, like Paulus, she sang at several places each evening naughty little songs that needed no claque to start the ripple of applause.

It was almost the same personality then as now—a bundle of electrical wires insulated in a slight, girlish form, the head wired with hair tousled as a French poodle's. She wore long, sinister looking black gloves, that blotted out the form of her arms, and always a new gown crisp and fresh from the modiste and cut low with a vicious little snip of the scissors at the throat. It was stitched on her rather than worn. And the face—impenetrable as a Greek mask badly fashioned, yet showing the finger marks of genius. Voila, Yvette Guilbert!

The gallery of the Nouveau Cirque is one of the swell lounging places of Paris, where you can watch the performance, principally equestrian and acrobatic, ending with a pantomime, or, turning your back to the railing, view the fast set of Paris promenading between the acts.

GUILBERT ON THE DONKEY.

In one of the pantomimes Yvette Guilbert used to enter sitting sideways on a little white donkey. The scene was pastoral and picturesque.

An old mill, covered with weather stains, moss and lichens, was cleverly constructed piece by piece, in full view of the audience. Its old wheel turned under a stream of water which ran across the ring and made a brook, bordered with rushes, in which a flotilla of ducks paddled.

Into this rural scene rode Yvette Guilbert, a large wide brimmed garden hat on her head—a picture of Watteau!

A piano is wheeled out on the platform. The old mill wheel paddles drip with water. Yvette's accompanist arranges the music. It is difficult to accompany her; she takes such liberties with the tempo. There she stands, simply, unaffectedly, the quintessence of an effete civilization living in emotions and sensations. She contrasts sharply with the bucolic scene. She is a dainty miniature in black and white, with a touch of rouge, done in the manner of Cheret. Indeed she has the spirit of his woman, the awkward grace and abandon, and might have stepped down out of one of his posters from the walls of Paris, where she has caught the note of misery, vibrating persistently through the city, that rings in her voice—that misery that sits like a black cat on one's shoulder, that snaps the cords of many a life, peopling the Seine, filling the prisons and feeding the guillotine.

Men crowd the gallery rail. The baldheads in the stalls smile expectantly. She is sauce to their jaded palates. The women eye her furtively. They keep quiet through it all. And why? They know best who have heard her.

With clasped hands and quiet mien, like a little nun in a ball dress, the chant of the convent still in her voice, she sings her song, "Les Ingenues." It was invariably the opening song of her evening's repertory. It has to do with a type of girl, seemingly innocent, yet knowing everything. Perhaps she chooses this song as an overture to impress the audience with her own individuality—to accent the effect as a foil, and bring out more forcibly the daring high lights and the dark, dramatic shadows of the songs that follow.

Each word is pregnant with fire and life. The words live; the thought has a being. She uses the universal language of gesture and expression patent to all.

In "La Soularde" the drunken woman, she used to reel and stagger. It was painful—frightful in its reality. Who likes to see a woman drunk or simulate drunkenness? She has refined this part, as her whole performance is more polished and artistic.

She gave a song in those days most popular—written apropos of Bernhardt's Cleopatra—about an unhappy little serpent that was starving. She sang it plaintively, with a melancholy little voice, looking the picture of woe.

Her voice is improved. It is richer now; less sharp and metallic, more womanly. It has lost that phonographic quality that made her songs in the nature of a monologue, in the argot of Paris, using words that bite like acid in the hard, polished veneer of immorality and burn the ears of curious prudery—words of double entente, significant only to the experienced.

Already having finished her last song, disdaining encores, she has gone. Gone in the night, wrapped in a large white cloak, on the arm of her manager, fretting possibly the while that her cab had drawn down to the corner, where under the street light one has good opportunity to catch a glimpse of her blond, tousled hair and tired face.

JULIA NEILSON.

One of the Most Beautiful and Successful Actresses on the English Stage.

Julia Neilson, John Hare's leading lady, has captured New York, as she had previously captured London, by her sympathetic acting, sincere method, beautiful face and perfect figure.

Julia Neilson was the first member of her family to join "the profession" and can claim no connection with her lovely namesake and predecessor, Adelaide Neilson, although both owed their names to a Scotch father. Like many a modern English actress, Miss Neilson made her way to the stage through the Royal Academy of Music. Her childhood was spent at Wiesbaden, and it was there that she had the foundation of her musical education and became an excellent German scholar. At the age of 16 she entered the Royal Academy with a view to becoming a pianist, but, guided by the advice of Professor Randegger and Sir Joseph (then Mr.) Barnby, she determined to cultivate her voice, which is even now—though few of her friends know it—a remarkably sweet and powerful mezzo soprano. In quick succession she won the Llewellyn Thomas gold medal for declamatory singing, the Sainton Dolby prize and the Westmorland scholarship and a brilliant concert and operatic career seemed within easy reach of the beautiful young student, when some amateur theatricals suddenly revealed both to herself and her critics where lay her real vocation. Mr W. S. Gilbert, ever on the watch for new talent, came, saw and was conquered. Within a few weeks Miss Neilson made her professional debut at the Lyceum, on the afternoon of March 21, 1888, playing Cynisca to Mary Anderson's Galatea.

JULIA NEILSON

In the last few years the Cynisca of that eventful day has played many parts. For her specially was written "Brantingham Hall," and if anything could have saved Mr. Gilbert's unfortunate play it would have been the young actress' clever rendering of Ruth Redmayne, the Australian widow. Her eventful connection with the Haymarket theater commenced in the following year with her taking the part of Julie in "A Man's Shadow," and she soon became a valuable member of Mr. Beerbohm Tree's brilliant company, showing on more than one occasion considerable versatility, as when, at a few hours' notice, she undertook to act Lois in "The Ballad Monger" and acquitted herself excellently.

Perhaps it is as Drusilla Ives, the fantastic, wayward Quakeress dancing girl that Miss Neilson stands out most clearly to the London pittite—most discerning and shrewdest of playgoers. It has remained her favorite part. Her personality seemed woven into the role and has been immortalized by more than one painter, notably the Hon. John Collier, whose "Dancing Girl" was one of the pictures of the year in the Academy of 1892. While acting the title part of Mr. Jones' play Miss Neilson became the wife of Mr. Fred Terry, and so joined the distinguished family group of players of whom the English stage has so much reason to be proud. During the last two years Miss Julia Neilson's name has been seldom out of the bill. She was the Lady Ormond in "Peril," she created the title part in "Hypatia," and in "A Woman of No Importance," "The Tempter" and "The Notorious Mrs. Ebbsmith" added greatly to the finish and charms of Mr. Tree's productions.

Boniface and Ye Actors.

"They say the business ain't what it used to be," said the repertory actor, as he filled his pipe, "and I'm glad of it.

"I remember about ten years ago we were playing 'East Lynne,' 'The Hidden Hand' and 'Lady Audley's Secret' at all the water tanks and fourth class postoffices in Michigan.

"Our manager was about a week ahead of us on the route, and we were about three weeks behind him on salaries. One day he struck a town where they had a sawmill and a liberty pole, and after he had billed the town he went to the only hotel in town and tried to get rates.

"'How many people have you got?' the landlord asked him.

"'Seven men and three women.'

"'And you're goin to be here a week?'

"'Yes.'

"'Well, if the girls will agree to wait on the table, I'll take the whole pack of you at $1 a day.'"

"Salome" For America.

A very important contract has just been signed by Canary & Lederer. The other party to the contract is Ida Fuller, sister of Loie Fuller, and it is to the effect that Ida Fuller will present, under the management, the art scene from "Salome," the allegorical pantomime written by Charles Henry Meltzer, in which La Loie has been appearing in Paris and other continental cities with great success for the last year. Miss Ida Fuller will introduce the dance between the first and second acts of "The Lady Slavey." She has just arrived in this country and brings with her the duplicates of everything used by her sister in the European production of "Salome." It will require 15 men to handle the electrical and other effects necessary for the presentation of this novelty.

Fanny Davenport's Unselfishness.

"There is one beautiful thing about Fanny Davenport," says "Bab," "she is the kindest and most considerate of actresses to the stage folk. She is willing to spend her money for them, and she is willing to help them. The people in her company who wish to succeed are encouraged and assisted by her, and she has never been envious of another actress or acted meanly to one. She does her work and does it well, loves and is loyal to her own people and deserves to be happy."

Paderewski's Son.

Paderewski's invalid son is an unusually brilliant boy, despite his hopeless condition. He is much further advanced in his studies than the average child of 12, having already mastered four languages.

CURLING IN AMERICA.

The Old Scotch Sport Steadily Gaining Popularity.

HOW THE GREAT GAME IS PLAYED.

The Gordon Medal and Its Winners, the Four Georges of New York's Famous John O'Groat's Club—Beginning of the Sport on this Side of the Atlantic.

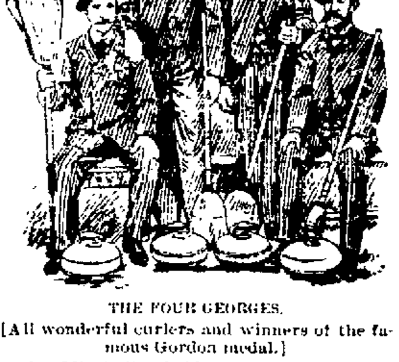
Now that the old Scotch game of golf is so popular in the United States, there seems an excellent prospect that another famous Scotch pastime, the sport of curling, may increase its already large number of devotees on this side of the Atlantic. The curling season will soon be at its height in America, and it is believed the bonspiels will be greater drawing cards than ever before.

Thirty years ago the votaries of curling in the United States decided to have a federation of clubs similar in character to Our Auld Respectit Mither, as the curlers fondly term the Royal Caledonian Curling club. This finally resulted in a meeting being held in New York city June 26, 1867, when the Grand National Curling Club of America was formed under very favorable auspices.

David Bell of Buffalo was elected president and George Macnoe, also of Buffalo, secretary, eight clubs being represented, location ranging from New York to Cleveland. Both officers mentioned, according to the New York Times, are still fit and ready to skip a rink or watch the prowess of the rising generation on the slippery board. A constitution and bylaws were adopted, and these, with very few alterations, remain in force to the present day and will bear favorable comparison for practical efficiency with those of the Royal Caledonian, the Canadian branch of the Royal, and the Ontario association, the Manitoba branch of the Royal. The Northwestern association and the Grand National are the large organizations in the United States and were formed with the American principle of the greatest good for the greatest number. They are entirely independent in action, but they often co-operate in holding bonspiels. John McCullagh of St. Paul is the new president of the Grand National.

The Canadian associations are affiliated with the Grand National Curling club, and the most important match of the coming season will be an international contest for the Gordon medal. It is the gift of Robert Gordon, an old member of the St. Andrew's Curling club, and is played for alternately in the states and Canada. The present holders are the "Four Georges" rink—George Bain, George Williams, George Oag and George Manson of the New York John O'Groat's club. This match will be played at the new rink of the Empire club, Albany. Uncle Sam has twice won the trophy from her Britannic majesty's representatives at Montreal and will try for it again this winter under the stars and stripes.

The most valuable of all the National club trophies is the Mitchell medal of solid gold, handsomely emblazoned with curling scenes, and adorned with diamonds, pearls and turquoises with fine taste. This was presented by the late Alexander Mitchell of Milwaukee, when that gentleman was patron of the National club, and has been the subject of keen rivalry in 11 annual bonspiels from New York to Portage City, Wis. The most successful skip has been George Frazier of the Yonkers club, who, with his three sons, has won the Mitchell medal three times against the best curling skill on this continent. The Frazier rink met the western champion, the Wells rink of Portage City, in a prearranged match for the championship at Toronto three years ago, and returned to Yonkers victorious and as modest as when it started on its journey.



THE FOUR GEORGES.

[All wonderful curlers and winners of the famous Gordon medal.]

The Mitchell medal was played for at Albany last winter and won by James McNeil, skip of a rink of the Empire City club, a noted curler, who has practiced the game in his native Dumfriesshire, at Winnipeg and around New York.

There are few amusements which excite more interest than the game of curling. In the severest weather a good curler, while engaged in his favorite amusement, feels no cold. In playing himself, or assisting his rink with his broom, he finds sufficient exercise to keep him warm. Briefly described, curling may be likened to an exaggerated game of shuffleboard. Rinks 42 yards in length are laid out upon the ice. At each end is a 7 foot circle, in which are smaller rings. Each team has four players. In each round the players are permitted to send two curling stones, the objective point being the 7 foot circle at the other end. Of course, only one of the ends is in play at a time. One player skims a stone down to the 7 foot circle at the other end, then one of his opponents has a shy, then the first player's partner has a chance, and so on they alternate. After all the stones have been propelled to the other end the points are counted. The side having placed their stones to the best advantage in the 7 foot circle receives its relative points, and then the men at the other end of the rink have their turn. And so it goes on for hours.

Expert curlers attain a wonderful skill at the pastime. The control of the heavy stones is really remarkable. Say that A leads off with a skim which places his stone in the very center of the smallest ring in the 7 foot circle. It will be B's play not only to knock this stone of A's from its advantageous position, but to so control the momentum of his own stone that it will not caroın out of the circle. When players secure good positions in the circle, the object is to then place stones as to protect this winner. To get around these guards players combine the skill of a baseball pitcher curving a ball with the expertness of a billiard player, making a delicate carom for position. When it is considered that these stones average about 40 pounds each and are sent a distance of 38 yards, the skill and strength required are plain.

One of the most important adjuncts of the game is a sweeper. This is a man with a broom who watches the progress of his side's stone as it approaches the circle and must judge at once if it requires his assistance. If he sees that it does, he carries the stone along, as it were. That is, he keeps ahead of the stone, sweeping the ice quickly and facilitating the traveling. It looks to be the least expert branch of the game, but is one which requires quick perception. A bungling sweeper may lose rinks by underestimating the velocity of the stone and by his sweeping carry it beyond the desired point and out of the big circle. On the other hand, he may think that the stone does not require much assistance and see his mistake only when it loses headway and stops very much short of its goal.

Reference is often made to the "roaring game" by writers on curling, a term that is very often misunderstood by the general public, for, although the skips, in directing their men, may sometimes speak above a whisper, it is the sound made by the stones, not the noise made by the players, that is referred to. On a clear, frosty day the booming or roaring of the curling stones as they glide along the ice has been heard for miles. This booming has a peculiar charm to the ear of a keen curler and will act on him as a magnet will on true steel.

FATHER TIME'S SWIFT FOE.

Berlo and His Great Mile In One Minute Forty and Three-fifths Seconds.

The recent feat of Peter J. Berlo, who rode a flying start mile in 1 minute 40 3-5 seconds on the New Orleans track, causes the sporting public to wonder when the limit of speed on a bicycle is to be reached. Pneumatic tires, high geared wheels, improved tracks and wonderful pacing devices have played havoc with Father Time during the past few years, and there seems no limit to the record breaking powers of America's swift cyclists. Four years ago, when W. W. Windle rode a mile against time in 2 minutes 15 seconds on the track in Springfield, Mass., all the cycling world wondered, but today the mile competition record is under two minutes, and there is hardly a fast man on the track who does not succeed in establishing a new record against time once he determines to do so.

PETER J. BERLO.

Berlo was long one of the best amateurs in America, but he joined the professional ranks a few years ago and rode for cash. Last summer Berlo built a quintuplet, a bicycle for five riders, and the wonderful machine proved that it was an excellent pacemaking device. With its aid W. W. Windle broke a few records, and then he and Berlo quarreled over the possession of the quintuplet. After a legal battle Berlo secured the unique wheel and visited New Orleans on a record breaking trial. He first secured the professional record by covering a mile in 1 minute 44 seconds with pacing and a flying start, and then he persevered until he had surpassed the world's amateur record of 1 minute 42 2-5 seconds. Paced by the quintuplet, he placed to his credit a mile in 1 minute 40 3-5 seconds, the fastest mile ever ridden by a cyclist in the history of the sport.

WHITTAKER A SWIFT SWIMMER.

The Milwaukeean Seems to Be the Very Best Western Nautical Sprinter.

When the western swimming championships were held recently in the big tank of the Chicago Athletic association, George Whittaker of Milwaukee surprised the Chicagoans and their aquatic idols by winning both the championship events in what sporting men are wont to term "hollow" style. G. A. Thorne, the famous swimmer of the Chicago A. C., was expected to win both events, but Whittaker proved too fast for him. He made a good showing against Whittaker in the 100 yards dash, five lengths of the tank, but the Milwaukeean won by a narrow margin in 1 minute 8 3-5 seconds.

GEORGE WHITTAKER.

In the 440 yard championship race, 22 lengths of the tank, Whittaker defeated Thorne. H. J. Graeser and his fellow townsman James McGarry, who swam 12 lengths and then left Milwaukee's laurels safe in the possession of Whittaker. That worthy cleft the water of the tank like a shark in pursuit of prey and was first to finish in 6 minutes 53 3-5 seconds. Thorne was second, but was 5 1-5 seconds behind his more fortunate rival from the Cream City. Whittaker is 23 years of age and is a member of a family noted in Milwaukee for its speed and staying powers in the water. Nearly every member is an expert swimmer, and Whittaker's 3 year old brother is already giving promise of developing into a world beater. A match between Whittaker and some of the expert swimmers of the New York or New Manhattan Athletic clubs would be interesting.

THE GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN

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Failing Health,
Broken Constitution,
Debility of Old Age,
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CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND., Aug 20, '86.
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DEAR GENTS:—I desire to say to you that I have suffered for many years with a very serious disease of the stomach and nerves. I tried every medicine I could hear of, but nothing done me any appreciable good until I was advised to try your Great South American Nervine Tonic and Stomach and Liver Cure, and since using several bottles of it I must say that I am surprised at its wonderful powers to cure the stomach and general nervous system. If everyone knew the value of this remedy as I do you would not be able to supply the demand.

J. A. HARDEE, Ex-Treas. Montgomery Co.

REBECCA WILKINSON, of Brownsvalley, Ind., says: "I had been in a distressed condition for three years from Nervousness, Weakness of the Stomach, Dyspepsia, and Indigestion, until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly, with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which done me more good than any $50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely remedy; a few bottles of it has cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world."

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JOHN T. MISH.

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MRS. ELLA A. BRATTON, of New Ross, Indiana, says: "I cannot express how much I owe to the Nervine Tonic. My system was completely shattered, appetite gone, was coughing and spitting up blood, am sure I was in the first stages of consumption, an inheritance handed down through several generations. I began taking the Nervine Tonic and continued its use for about six months, and am entirely cured. It is the grandest remedy for nerves, stomach and lungs I have ever seen."

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A GUN CLUB

To Have Permanent Quarters, Organized Wednesday Night

Wednesday evening quite a number of the followers of sport assembled at the room over the Feidner saloon and organized a gun club which will, in the future be known as the Marion Buckeye Gun club

After agreeing upon the name of the club officers were elected with the result that Darius Washburn holds the presidency Herman Feidner is secretary and treasurer and Chas Kraner is captain of the club

The club will furnish in an appropriate manner the room in which it was organized Wednesday night and it will be kept open hereafter as the headquarters of the club

It is the intention of the club to give tournaments and shooting matches and in every way make the club of interest to all lovers of sport in the field

Another meeting will be held at the club rooms next Wednesday evening and all desiring to become members of the club are requested to send in their names

The organizers of the club are Herman Feidner, Chas Kraner, Darius Washburn, Harry May, Gus Gosenplo, A. M Eidenbaugh, Chas Claypsaddle, Nelson Able, Chas Coonrod, Carl Blum, Joshua Burke and John Flack

THE TRUANT OFFICER

Five Cases of Truancy Investigated by that Official in the City.

Truant Officer Huggins today had five cases reported to him. The cases were all from the neighborhood of the quarries. Mr Huggins investigated the matter and found that in each of the five cases the children were kept away from school on account of poverty They have not clothing fit to wear to school.

There have been several other cases reported, but they were all investigated and found to be from sickness or some other trivial cause. The children were sent back to school or ordered to school as soon as they recovered. The other cases will likely be looked into and something done in regard to clothing the pupils in order that they may attend the schools.

STEAM SHOVEL WRECKED

A Broken Axle Causes a Wreck on the C. S. and H. at Lewis Center.

There was a wreck on the C. S. and H at Lewis Center, south of Delaware, Wednesday afternoon A south bound freight of about ten cars was derailed in front of the depot there, and a steam shovel and car of attachments thrown off the track and onto the platform, and several of the cars wrecked.

The steam shovel was shipped from this place, and its trucks were torn off and it was otherwise pretty badly wrecked. The road was blocked for several hours on account of the wreck No one was injured, although the agent was in the depot at the time, and when the shovel struck the platform he made his escape out of the rear of the building

We are actually selling $4.00 and $4.50 ladies' shoes for $2.00, and the nice thing about them is that we have all sizes If you want to see one advertised bargain that beats the newspaper story about it, call and see this lot. 45t2wk J. E. Rhoads.

THEY WILL WED

Mr. Meiley and Miss Phillipy Leave for Kentucky.

Mr Meiley the gentleman mentioned in Wednesday's STAR as having gone to the probate court to secure a marriage license to wed a fifteen-year-old young lady, evidently accepted Deputy Burke's advice to "go to Kentucky," as golden, as he and Miss Phillipy, the bride-elect, left this morning at 10 20 over the Erie for Cincinnati, whence they will go across the river and wed.

And thus again Cupid laughs at the stupid bars placed between him and the accomplishment of his desires by a body of men known as legislators

PERSONAL.

John Snider made a business trip to Columbus today

M Streitz and family left this morning for Pittsburg on a visit.

Miss Anna Laden has returned to her home in Upper Sandusky after a short visit in this city.

Miss Hattie Credlebaugh of New Carlisle, is visiting her uncle, S. P Young, of Davids street

Stephen A Moule of Cleveland, representing the Bradstreet Mercantile agency, was in the city today

W S Capeller and daughter, of Mansfield, were in the city over Wednesday night, and left this morning for Florida Mr Capeller is editor of the Mansfield News

Mr and Mrs J H Swayze, of St. Louis, are guests at the home of W H Albright, of south Vine street Mr and Mrs Swayze stopped off while on their wedding tour and will remain in the city a week

Mr and Mrs W G Harding left today for Florida Mr Harding will attend the annual meeting of the National Editorial Association at St. Augustine, next week as a delegate from the Associated Ohio Dailies

W M Rounds of Jackson Mich is in the city, representing the Aspinwall Manufacturing company Mr Rounds was formerly state agent for the Jackson Wagon company and then visited this city He was surprised to find street cars and other improvements of the city today when he stepped off the train

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

Manager Kuney, of the Central Union Telephone company is putting in twelve new phones in the city

The M. E Home Missionary society gave a tea this afternoon at the home of Ezra Campbell on the Garden City Pike

At the meeting of the American Creamer White ... association at Columbus this week J. J. Derringer, of this county was appointed a member of the board of directors.

L. L Doggett, state secretary of the Y M C A, was in the city Wednesday. Mr Doggett will be here next Sunday and address the men's meeting at 3 p m on "The one Thing Needful."

Pocahontas Council No 15, I O R M, installed officers Wednesday night, at the council hall in the Cummins block The ceremony was a most interesting one and was highly entertaining

George Beery, of Upper Sandusky, who is well known here has applied for a divorce from his wife, according to a special from that city to the Columbus. The special states that the petition is very sensational

The board of directors of the Marion Building and Loan association met Wednesday night, but nothing but the regular routine business was transacted. A few loans were made and other regular business transacted.

C. J. Long's handsome greyhound Cricket has been stolen. About every three weeks some one steals the dog, but up to this time the animal always got away from its captors and came back like the cat. The police are looking for Cricket.

A cut of Miss Iva Fish, of this city, is given in "Form" of this month. The many acquaintances of Miss Fish will agree that a more wretched likeness was never presented and that she has good grounds for a damage suit against that management.

Mr and Mrs Will Waddell returned from their bridal tour through the South Wednesday. While away Mr. and Mrs. Waddell stopped at Macon, Savannah and Atlanta. They will be at home to their friends at their residence on south Vine street

RAILROAD NOTES

Earl Sargent, of the C. H. V. and T. clerical force, was at Columbus today.

A. J. Monroe will probably be transferred from the yardmaster's office to the Marion Junction telegraph office at the C. and E.

P. Fox, foreman of car repairers, was down from Huntington, Ind., this morning, looking after business in his line at the C. and E.

Twenty-five orphans were shipped over the Erie Wednesday enroute to Kansas from the East. The children are to be given homes in the West.

Several engineers on the Big Four lines, it is stated, received an average of $152 per month for their services in 1892. Both freight and passenger engineers last year made the largest wages since employed on the road, so heavy was business the year through.

William Benjamin, a brakeman on the Erie railroad, caught a spark on the back of his celluloid collar The collar took fire and exploded with a loud report. Benjamin seized the collar with both hands and tore it from his neck. He was burned severely on the face, neck and hands.

SICK AND CONVALESCENT.

The child of S. E. Foster is reported sick.

Mrs William Grain is reported sick at her home on Uhler avenue.

The condition of Frank Grubb, at the county jail, is about the same.

Josiah Concklin was taken ill on the streets this forenoon, but is some better this afternoon.

Miss Clara Snyder, one of the operators at the Central Union exchange, is off duty on account of illness.

Mrs. J. J. Johnson, of north State street, was stricken with a slight attack of paralysis last night Mrs Johnson is past four score years.

A Foraker Enthusiast.

Councilman John Shutt was so gloriously happy over the nomination of Foraker for senator that he offered to set it up to a friend. The friend gave the tip to several friends, who did likewise, and when John and the original friend arrived at the temple of refreshments he was greeted by half an hundred of his friends Mr. Shutt fainted away.

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BAD CASES

Three Big Island Township Families Destitute.

The infirmary directors are looking after three bad cases in Big Island township, in the locality known as Wild Cat. It is reported that three families in that section are in actual want, and each of them is afflicted with typhoid fever. Their illness is said to be due to the houses they reside in. The infirmary directors will visit them Friday, and endeavor to place them in the infirmary, as it is too expensive to keep them where they are at present.

Infirmary Director Haberman was looking after the case of Mrs Seitz, who resides along the C. H. V. and T. railway here. She has asked for assistance and it is understood that her husband has long been an inmate of the Richland county infirmary, and if this be true Richland county will be asked to support her. There are seven other cases reported in the country.

25 off on our entire stock of goods. Martin & Wiley.

GETTING READY.

Beverly Hall Arrives in Marion and Will Hereafter Make It His Home.

Beverly Hall and C. D Walters arrived in the city from Ft. Wayne Wednesday night, and will make this city their home hereafter Mrs. Hall will not arrive until in May. Mr. Hall came here to superintend the preliminary work of opening his European Hotel, which is to occupy the new Darmody building.

Mr. Hall is looking almost as well as he did when he was enjoying the best of health a few years ago. All of the furniture and material for the new hotel has been purchased, with the exception of the glassware, and he was buying that today. They expect to have the place open in six weeks

Get the boys their shoe supply now. Half price on dozens of pairs. No such values at any other house in the county 45t2wk J. E. Rhoads.

He Was Well Known Here.

Word was received by Richard Wissler this morning of the death of Ludwig Martin, of Upper Sandusky, who was quite well known in this city. He resided here at one time. He was a splendid mechanic, being at one time employed on the new court house as carpenter He was also a first-class musician, being one of the Martin brothers who composed the famous Martin Bros.' band at that place While here he was a member of Wissler's band and orchestra

Mr Wissler and family will leave here for Upper Sandusky on Saturday morning to attend the funeral, which will take place from St Joseph's Catholic church at 9 o'clock.

Electric Power.

First citizen—"Henry Raney, of Salt Rock township, purchased a sixteen horse power electric motor this morning."

Second citizen—"What for"

First citizen—"To shock his corn"

And then both dropped into Feidner's to refresh themselves

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